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## HISTORICAL NEWS

### AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

The Association holds its annual meeting, with an attractive programme, in Chicago on December 29, 30, and 31. The usual article descriptive of the meeting will appear in our next number. The Executive Council, at its preliminary meeting of November 28, voted to recommend that the meeting of December, 1916, be held in Cincinnati; that of 1915 is by vote of the Association to be held in Washington. It was reported that war conditions compel for the present a suspension of activity in the preparation of the Bibliography of Modern English History.

The Pacific Coast Branch held its autumn meeting in San Francisco in the last days of November. The intercalary meeting which the American Historical Association is to hold on the Pacific Slope in 1915 has been fixed for the three days July 21 (San Francisco), 22 (Berkeley), 23 (Palo Alto), with an opening meeting on the evening of July 20. The programme is expected to be devoted specifically to the history of the Pacific Ocean and the various countries upon its shores.

The first volume of the *Annual Report* for 1913 is in galley-proof; the second volume, Papers of James A. Bayard, edited by Miss Elizabeth P. Donnan, is nearly ready for the press. The next report of the Historical Manuscripts Commission will contain the extant papers of R. M. T. Hunter, with perhaps other Virginian papers of his time.

The manuscript of the annual bibliography, *Writings on American History, 1913*, prepared by Miss Grace G. Griffin, has gone to the Yale University Press. In order that continuance of publication by that press may be ensured, members are earnestly reminded that a large increase of sales of the volume for 1912 is requisite.

In the *Original Narratives* series, publication of *Narratives of the Insurrections* has, by a mishap to the index, been deferred to the spring.

In the September number of the *History Teacher's Magazine*, Dr. R. V. D. Magoffin commences a series of articles on the Teaching of Roman History, with a chapter on the Archaeological History of Rome after 450 B. C.; Professor William F. Russell contributes an historical account of the Early Teaching of History in Secondary Schools, while the editor makes sagacious and timely observations on the European War and History Teachers. In the October issue are to be noted "Early Rome and Italy", by Professor G. W. Botsford, "A Single Aim in His-

tory Teaching", by Leroy F. Jackson, and a group of personal letters of Elihu B. Washburne, written in 1870-1871 while he was minister (not "ambassador") of the United States in Paris. The number for November is notable, apart from its leading article, Greek Civilization in the Roman Empire by Professor W. L. Westermann, for a paper by Mr. David Snedden, commissioner of Education in Massachusetts, on the Teaching of History in Secondary Schools, with a reply by Professor George L. Burr on "What History shall we Teach?" In the issue of December are articles by Professor P. Orman Ray on "Topics of State History fruitful for Research", by Professor L. B. Smith on the Place of History in a Technical School, and by Moses W. Ware, "A Side Light on the War of 1812".

### PERSONAL

Rear-Admiral Alfred Thayer Mahan, U. S. N. retired, died on December 1 at Washington, where he had in November begun a period of association with the Carnegie Institution of Washington. Born in 1840 at West Point, the son of a distinguished professor of engineering familiar with French systems of scientific education, he was early trained to that remarkable clearness and directness of thought and expression which always distinguished him. His naval career, from the time of his entrance into the Naval Academy in 1856, has been described by himself, modestly but with great interest and in its proper setting of American naval history, in a most enjoyable book of reminiscences entitled *From Sail to Steam* (1907). In this he has described how the reading of Napier, the writing of a book on *The Gulf and Inland Waters* in our Civil War, and the call to lecture on naval history at the Naval War College founded in 1885, turned him to the career of the historian. His first great work, *The Influence of Sea Power upon History, 1660-1783* (1890), may fairly be said to have achieved a greater influence upon the public mind of Europe and America than any other historical book of our generation. However largely the contemporary state of Europe may be responsible for such an effect, the book deserved its success when considered solely from the point of view of the historian, for the power of lucid thought, the penetration and insight, with which Captain Mahan extracted the meaning from history, are rare and impressive gifts, and his style, sinewy, direct, and simple, yet cultivated, was suited to the workings of a strong mind dealing with momentous themes. The same qualities, with fuller opportunities for research, marked *The Influence of Sea Power upon the French Revolution and Empire* (1892), *The Life of Nelson, the Embodiment of the Sea Power of Great Britain* (1897), and *Sea Power in its Relations to the War of 1812* (1905); but his first book had made his reputation secure. The fresh vista which it had opened into history could never be closed. In 1902 he was president of the American Historical Association. It was characteristic, that he chose as the theme of his presidential address Subordination in His-

torical Treatment, the necessity and method of such grouping and emphasis as should present in truthful proportions the central elements of the historian's thought. Admiral Mahan was a man of elevated and religious character, of profitable and delightful conversation, modest, courteous, and lovable.

Professor Reinhold Koser of Berlin died in that city on August 25, 1914, at the age of sixty-two years. He was general director of the Prussian State Archives, and had published numerous works relating to Brandenburg-Prussia and the Hohenzollerns, the most important being his *Geschichte Friedrichs des Grossen*.

Georges Perrot, perpetual secretary of the Academy of Inscriptions and Belles-Lettres, and joint author with the late Charles Chipiez of the well-known *Histoire de l'Art dans l'Antiquité*, died in the last days of June, at the age of eighty-one.

William Nelson, for more than thirty years corresponding secretary of the New Jersey Historical Society, died on August 10, at the age of sixty-seven. On the history of New Jersey there was no higher authority. Besides many other useful publications in that field, and in that of the history and bibliography of early American newspapers, he had edited nearly all the volumes of the *New Jersey Archives*.

Miss Margaret S. Morriss has been promoted to an assistant professorship in history at Mt. Holyoke College.

Dr. Annie Heloise Abel has been appointed to a full professorship of history in Goucher College.

Mr. Morgan P. Robinson has been elected archivist of the Virginia State Library, assuming the duties of that office on January 1, 1915.

Dr. Robert G. Caldwell has been appointed assistant professor of history at Rice Institute, Houston, Texas.

Professor David L. Patterson of the University of Kansas is supplying the place of Professor A. L. P. Dennis of the University of Wisconsin during the present academic year.

#### GENERAL

Professor F. K. Ginzel of the Prussian Institute for Astronomical Calculations has issued a third volume, concluding his *Handbuch der Mathematischen und Technischen Chronologie, das Zeitrechnungswesen der Völker* (Leipzig, Hinrichs, 1914, pp. vii, 445), which contains a mass of information useful to the historian in solving the intricate and unusual problems of chronology.

Messrs. Putnam are shortly to publish a volume by Miss Ruth Putnam on *Alsace and Lorraine from Caesar to Kaiser, 57 B. C.—1871 A. D.*, a study dealing with the political affiliations of the provinces throughout their history.

*Art and Archaeology* in its November number presents, in its series upon Masterpieces of Aboriginal American Art by Professor W. H. Holmes, an illustrated account of minor examples of mosaic work; and has also an illustrated account of the German excavations at Baalbek, by Professor L. B. Paton.

The October and November *Bulletins* of the New York Public Library continue its check-list of newspapers and official gazettes to the section for Virginia, and its list of works relating to Scotland through the economic and sociological sections. The library has also issued a *List of Works relating to the History and Condition of the Jews in various Countries* (pp. 278), extracted from a series of its *Bulletins*.

Numerous articles have appeared in recent months regarding the superstition about ritual murder by the Jews, and an exhaustive investigation of the subject can now be found in *Le Crime Rituel chez les Juifs* (Paris, Téqui, 1914, pp. 376) by A. Monniet.

The *Biblioteca Coloniale*, to be published by Signor Barbera, Florence, opens with the first volume of the *Storia del Commercio*, by Gino Luzatto. This volume begins with ancient times and comes down to the Renaissance. The work will be complete in two volumes.

*War's Aftermath: a preliminary Study of the Eugenics of War as illustrated by the Civil War of the United States and the late Wars in the Balkans*, by Dr. David Starr Jordan and Harvey E. Jordan, is more particularly a study, confessedly tentative and somewhat lacking in definite scientific results, of the effect of the Civil War upon the quality of manhood in the South (Houghton Mifflin Company).

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: C. H. Hull, *The Service of Statistics to History* (Quarterly Publication of the American Statistical Association, March); A. Cavalli, *Il Fenomeno Associativo dai "Collegia" Antichi alle "Corporazioni" Medioevali*, I. (*Rivista Internazionale di Scienze Sociali e Discipline Ausiliarie*, October); M. Vauthier, *La Doctrine du Contrat Social* (*Revue de l'Université de Bruxelles*, May).

#### ANCIENT HISTORY

*Outlines of Ancient History from the Earliest Times to the Fall of the Roman Empire in the West, A. D. 476*, by Harold Mattingly (Cambridge University Press, pp. 458) is a very compressed narrative, said to attain a high standard of accuracy.

The Macmillan Company are shortly to publish a "General Index" to Dr. J. G. Frazer's *The Golden Bough* series.

Messrs. Williams and Norgate announce a volume on the *Antiquity of Man*, by Professor Arthur Keith.

The Princeton University Press has brought out *Biblical Libraries: a Sketch of Library History from 3400 B. C. to A. D. 150*, by E. C. Richardson, librarian of Princeton University.

Dr. E. A. Wallis Budge has recently published two brief treatises, popular in character, and perhaps somewhat hasty in workmanship, yet representing much learning, *A History of the Egyptian People*, and *The Literature of the Egyptian People*.

An elaborate volume by D. Mallet is devoted to *Les Premiers Établissements des Grecs en Égypte, VII<sup>e</sup> et VI<sup>e</sup> Siècles* (Paris, Leroux, 1914).

Dr. D. G. Hogarth is the author of a recent addition to the *Home University Library, The Ancient East*, which covers the history of Western Asia between 1000 B. C. and the conquests of Alexander.

Mr. S. Langdon, in *Tammuz and Ishtar* (Oxford University Press, 1914, pp. 208) presents a monograph upon Babylonian religion and theology containing extensive extracts from the Tammuz liturgies and the whole of the Arbela oracles.

Important contributions to Greek history are made by A. Ledl, *Studien zur älteren Athenischen Verfassungsgeschichte* (Heidelberg, Winter, 1914); Paul Foucart, *Les Mystères d'Eleusis* (Paris, Picard, 1914); and E. Pokarny, *Studien zur Griechischen Geschichte im Sechsten und Fünften Jahrzehnt des Vierten Jahrhunderts v. Chr.* (Griefswald, 1914, pp. 167).

The *Loeb Classical Library* has added two new volumes recently, vol. II. of Suetonius, translated by Professor J. C. Rolfe, and the first volume of a two-volume edition of Xenophon's *Cyropaedia* by Mr. Walter Miller.

*L'Hellénisation du Monde Antique* (Paris, Alcan, 1914) contains a series of illuminating lectures by V. Chapot, G. Colin, A. Croiset, J. Hatzfeld, A. Jardé, P. Jouguet, G. Leroux, A. Reinach, and T. Reinach delivered at the School of Higher Social Studies in Paris.

A. W. Pickard-Cambridge of Balliol College, Oxford, is the author of one of the latest additions to the *Heroes of the Nations* series, *Demosthenes and the Last Days of Greek Freedom* (Putnam).

The July–September number of the *American Journal of Archaeology* contains, from the hands of Messrs. W. H. Buckler and David N. Robinson, the text, translation, and an elaborate description of and commentary upon a Greek inscription from Sardes, setting forth honors received by one Menogenes, 6–1 B. C., and casting light on municipal government in Sardes and on the union of cities of Asia under Augustus. This is followed by Professor Colburn's third article on Lanuvium.

There is now available a second, revised and enlarged edition of G. Dottin, *Manuel pour servir à l'Étude de l'Antiquité Celtique* (Paris,

Champion, 1914, pp. 500). Still another useful volume for the prehistoric period is Feldhaus, *Die Technik der Vorzeit, der Geschichtlichen Zeit, und der Naturvölker* (Leipzig, Engelmann, 1914).

Under the title *À travers le Monde Romain* (Paris, Fontemoing) Professor René Cagnat of the French Institute publishes lectures given by him at the Musée Guimet, dealing vividly with some aspects of Roman civilization.

A well-made book of distinctly popular character is *Republican Rome*, by H. L. Havell, the second of the *Great Nations* series, published by Stokes and Company.

Dr. W. Brewitz, *Scipio Africanus Maior in Spanien, 210-206* (Tübingen, Laupp, 1914, pp. viii, 86) is a doctoral dissertation. An elaborate folio volume, with various maps, on *Die Keltiberer und ihre Kriege mit Rom* (Munich, Bruckmann, 1914) is by A. Schulten.

Dr. W. Warde Fowler has followed his general work on the religious ideas of the Romans by a special study on *Roman Ideas of Deity in the Last Century before the Christian Era*, which consists of lectures delivered at Oxford (Macmillan).

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: F. W. von Bissing, *Denkmäler zur Geschichte des Kunst Amenophis IV.* (Sitzungsberichte der K. Bayerischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, phil.-hist. Kl., 1914, 3); H. Vincent, *Gézer et l'Archéologie Palestinienne après six Ans de Fouilles*, I. (Revue Biblique, July); H. Treidler, *Die Skythen und ihre Nachbarvölker* (Archiv für Anthropologie, XLI. 3); S. Heinlein, *Der Wirtschaftliche Niedergang Ioniens und der Ionische Aufstand* (Ungarische Rundschau, July); F. M. T. Böhl, *Die Juden im Urteil der Griechischen und Römischen Schriftsteller* (Theologisch Tijdschrift, XLVIII. 5).

### EARLY CHURCH HISTORY

General reviews: W. Bauer, *Neues Testament, Apostelgeschichte und Apostolisches Zeitalter* (Theologische Rundschau, June); E. Klostermann, *Kirchengeschichte, Altchristliche Litteratur*, II., *ibid.*).

The twenty-seventh *Beiheft* of the *Zeitschrift für die Alttestamentliche Wissenschaft* contains a collection of *Studien zur Semitischen Philologie und Religionsgeschichte* dedicated to Professor Julius Wellhausen on his seventieth birthday, May 17, 1914. Among the twenty-one papers are: A. A. Bevan, "Mohammed's Ascension to Heaven"; K. Budde, "Zur Geschichte des Buches Amos"; C. F. Burney, "The Topography of Gideon's Rout of the Midianites"; P. Haupt, "Die Schlacht von Taanach"; J. Meinhold, "Zur Frage der Kultuszentralisation"; R. W. Rogers, "Sennacherib and Judah", and A. Rahlfs, "Verzeichnis der Schriften Julius Wellhausens".

The Bampton Lectures for 1913, *The Church in Rome in the First Century*, by Rev. George Edmundson (Longmans), adhere to the tradi-

tion of St. Peter's visit to Rome in 42 and trace with much detail his subsequent movements.

Two more fascicles have been added to Cuthbert H. Turner's *Ecclesiae Occidentalis Monumenta Iuris Antiquissima* (Oxford University Press), the first containing documents relating to the Council of Nicaea, the second the acts of the councils of Gangra and Antioch.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: C. Erbes, *Die Zeit des Mura-torischen Fragments* (Zeitschrift für Kirchengeschichte, XXXV. 3); P. Corssen, *Das Martyrium des Bischofs Cyprian*, I. (Zeitschrift für die Neutestamentliche Wissenschaft, XV. 3); W. Soltau, *Das Pontifikale Jahrbuch und seine Rekonstruktion* (Historische Vierteljahrschrift, XXV. 3); C. Guignebert, *Le Dogme de la Trinité*, I-IV. (Scientia, XXXII., XXXIII., XXXVII.).

### MEDIEVAL HISTORY

When the war broke out, steps had been lately taken toward the creation in Rome, on the model of existing national historical institutions, of an Hungarian Historical Institute, on governmental foundation but helped by the munificence of Mgr. Fráknoi, and toward the enlargement of the existing Bohemian mission into a permanent Bohemian Historical Institute; but it is not known whether these projects can now be pursued.

Mr. George W. Robinson, secretary of the Harvard Graduate School, has prepared the first English translation of *Eugippius: the Life of Saint Severinus*, which may be had from the University Press.

P. Noailles, in the first part of his *Les Collections de Nouvelles de l'Empereur Justinien*, dealt with *Origine et Formation sous Justinien* (Paris, Recueil Sirey, 1912, pp. xx, 267), and in the second part has published *La Collection Grecque des 168 Nouvelles* (Bordeaux, Cadoret, 1914, pp. 212).

The period from 750 to the Concordat of Worms in 1122 is dealt with in the first volume, and the ensuing period to the middle of the fourteenth century in the second volume of E. Eichmann, *Kirche und Staat* (Paderborn, Schöningh, 1912, 1914) in *Quellensammlung zur Kirchlichen Rechtsgeschichte und zum Kirchenrecht*.

*A Problem in the Use of Parallel Source Material in Medieval History: the Capture of Jerusalem in 1099*, by Dr. Frederic Duncalf of the University of Texas, is a suggestive essay on the use of sources (*Bulletin of the University of Texas*, no. 224).

A recent publication of the Görres Gesellschaft is the first volume of F. E. Schneider, *Die Römische Rota* (Paderborn, Schöningh, 1914).

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: E. Seckel, *Studien zu Benedictus Levita*, VIII. (Neues Archiv der Gesellschaft für ältere Deutsche Geschichtskunde, XXXIX. 2); De Boor, *Suidas und die Exzerptsammlung*,



II. (Byzantinische Zeitschrift, XXIII. 1); J. Martin, *Les Italiens en Grèce et dans les Iles après les Croisades* [conclusion] (Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, XXVIII. 2); N. Paulus, *Der Hauptschädling des Ablasses im Mittelalter* (Historisches Jahrbuch, XXXV. 3).

### MODERN EUROPEAN HISTORY

General review: W. Köhler, *Kirchengeschichte, Neuere Kirchengeschichte, Reformationszeit* (Theologische Rundschau, July, August).

The Arnold Prize Essay for 1914 is *Elizabeth and Henry IV.*, by J. B. Black, "a study in Anglo-French Relations, 1589-1603".

A recent volume by Sandonnini gives an account of *Il Generale Raimondo Montecuccoli e la sua Famiglia* (Modena, Ferraguti, 1914).

George G. Butler is the editor of *A Journal of the First Two Campaigns of the Seven Years' War* by Horace St. Paul, aide-de-camp and colonel of cavalry in the Austrian army (Cambridge University Press).

*The Grand Tour in the Eighteenth Century* (Boston, Houghton Mifflin Company, 1914, pp. xiii, 478), by Professor William E. Mead of Wesleyan University, combines in an uncommon degree interest and scholarship. Attention is centred on France, Italy, and Germany, with some reference to the Low Countries, Switzerland, and Spain. There are chapters on water travel, roads, carriages, inns, the cost of travel, its dangers and annoyances, and other topics, all supported by abundant citations of authorities, and illustrated from contemporary prints.

The fifth volume of Professor Oman's *History of the Peninsular War* (Oxford University Press) covers the years 1811-1812.

The August 1 issue of *La Civiltà Cattolica* was a number prepared in commemoration of the centenary of the restoration of the Society of Jesus in 1914. Among the volumes recently issued on the history of the society during the century are P. Albers, *Liber Saecularis, Historiae Societatis Jesu ab anno 1814 ad annum 1914* (Rome, 1914); J. Bournichon, *La Compagnie de Jésus en France, Histoire d'un Siècle* (vol. I., already mentioned, Paris, Beauchesne, 1914, pp. xlvii, 568); and P. Lesmes Frias, *La Provincia de España de la Compañía de Jesús, 1815-1863* (Madrid, Rivadeneyra, 1914, pp. 254). A comprehensive history of *I Gesuiti dalle Origini ai nostri Giorni* (Rome, *Civiltà Cattolica*, 1914, pp. 600) is the work of E. Rosa. All of the above authors are members of the society.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: E. Griselle (*Le Prince de Galles et l'Alliance Anglaise au Temps de Henri IV. et de Louis XIII.* (Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, XXVIII. 1); G. Guillot, *Un Témoin Italien de la Guerre des Impériaux contre les Turcs, 1683* (*ibid.*); J. F. Chance, *The Treaty of Hanover* (English Historical Review, October); A. de Curzon, *L'Ambassade du Comte des Alleurs à Constantinople, 1747-1754*

(Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, XXVIII. 3); A. Auzoux, *Un Incident Diplomatique entre l'Espagne et le Directoire, 1798-1799* (Revue des Études Historiques, May); L. B. Jackes, *Ghent and the Treaty* (Canadian Magazine, December); L. Pingaud, *Alexandre I<sup>er</sup> et Metternich d'après les Rapports de Lebzeltern, 1816-1826* (Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, XXVIII. 2); A. Bourguet, *La France et la Russie de 1848 à 1854* (*ibid.*); E. Daudet, *À Travers les Origines d'une Guerre* [1870-1871] (Revue des Deux Mondes, September 15).

### THE GREAT WAR

[An historical journal of scientific aims may hesitate to take note of the swarm of ephemeral publications which assume to relate the history of the present war before it is anywise possible to do so; but collections of official documents have a permanent value, and certain other books, from their character or the standing of their authors, seem to deserve that the student's attention should be directed to them.]

First in date among the collections of official documents relating to the outbreak of hostilities may be placed the British "White Paper", *Correspondence respecting the European Crisis* ("Papers by Command, 7467, Miscellaneous, No. 6, 1914"), despatches and telegrams bearing date from July 20 to August 4, and the supplements (Cd. 7445, 7596, "Miscellaneous, Nos. 8 and 10") containing Sir E. Goschen's despatch dated London, August 8, and that of Sir Maurice de Bunsen dated London, September 1. The octavo blue-book *Great Britain and the European Crisis* (pp. 144), contains all these together with speeches of Sir Edward Grey and Mr. Asquith, August 3-6. The German "White Book" was issued both in German and in an authorized English translation, *Germany's Reasons for War with Russia* (Berlin, Liebhelt), official narrative with documents. The Russian "Orange Book" appears in both French and English in the British publication *Documents respecting the Negotiations preceding the War, published by the Russian Government* (Cd. 7626, "Miscellaneous, No. 11"), the "Gray Paper" of Belgium in French and English, in *Diplomatic Correspondence respecting the War published by the Belgian Government* (Cd. 7627, "Miscellaneous, No. 12"). More recently the British government has also issued *Correspondence respecting Events leading to the Rupture of Relations with Turkey* (Cd. 7628, "Miscellaneous, No. 13"), and as we go to press we receive the French government's "Yellow Book", *Documents Diplomatiques*, etc., which takes a wider range than the preceding, especially with respect to events before July, 1914.

The "White Papers" of England and Germany, the "Orange Paper" of Russia and "Gray Paper" of Belgium, and some other diplomatic documents relating to the war, have been reprinted from the *New York*

*Times* in a convenient booklet. The *Times* also issues an English translation of the French "Yellow Book". The German book and nearly all of the Russian are reprinted in *Why We Are at War* (Oxford, Clarendon Press, pp. 251), by six members of the Oxford faculty of modern history.

The issues of *International Conciliation* for October and November (nos. 83 and 84) are occupied with official documents bearing upon the European war.

The English Historical Association has published, as Leaflet no. 36, *History of the Present War*, an eight-page bibliography for the use of teachers of history. Another, by Professor Clarence Perkins, appears in the *History Teacher's Magazine* for November.

*Guerre de 1914: Documents Officiels, Textes, Législatifs et Réglementaires* (Paris, Dalloz, 1914) is a pamphlet of the laws and ordinances especially applicable to France when entering upon the state of war. It will be supplemented by further issues. The historical section of the French General Staff issued near the outbreak of war a third edition of Lieutenant Jacomet, *Les Lois de la Guerre Continentale* (Paris, Fournier, 1914, pp. 160).

Professor Albert Bushnell Hart's *The War in Europe* (Appleton, pp. 254) is an excellent book of its class. In a plain and simple manner, adapted to the uses of the general reader, and in a clear arrangement, it treats of the resources, aims, and difficulties of the larger and smaller European powers, of considerations of race, and of military and economic rivalries, as conditions of the great struggle, and sets forth the manner in which the war began, the leading questions of international law and policy which are involved, and the probable results of the struggle to America and to the rest of the world. All is treated with wide and solid information, with sound judgment, with an excellent spirit of impartiality, and with restraint as to prediction.

Dr. J. Holland Rose has been delivering at Cambridge University a series of lectures on *The Origins of the War*, which have just been published by the University Press.

Gabriel Hanotaux is writing the text for an *Histoire Illustrée de la Guerre de 1914* (Paris, Nilsson) which is appearing in weekly parts at one franc each. A similar publication in sixty-centime parts is *Pages d'Histoire, 1914* (Paris, Berger-Levrault). The *Deutsche Geschichtskalender* is appearing with the subtitle *Der Europäische Krieg in Aktenmässiger Darstellung*, prepared by Dr. Fiedrich Purlitz. The *Revue de Hongrie* (Budapest) beginning with September is "entièrement consacrée à la Guerre", and is a vehement presentation of the Austro-Hungarian views. The September issue of the *Süddeutsche Monatshefte* is a "Nationale Kundgebung Deutscher und Oesterreichischer Historiker", with articles by Marcks, Meinecke, Oncken, Lenz, and others.

A pamphlet entitled *Truth about Germany* having been issued by a committee of representative Germans, and having somewhat the status of an official German justification of the war, Mr. Douglas Sladen has issued in reply a volume entitled *The Real "Truth about Germany": Facts about the War*, which presents the paragraphs of the German publication in English translation and follows each paragraph with controverting comment. While in the main the book is merely controversial, and as such may be thought to fall outside the sphere of this journal, there are a sufficient number of documents quoted in the course of the debate to give the book, though published near the beginning of the war, a certain amount of historical value.

The Frederick A. Stokes Company have published in a small volume *Treitschke: Selections from Lectures on Politics*, intended to illustrate the influence of that historian and publicist upon German thought and upon the present war. Messrs. Putnam also have published a book on *Treitschke: his Life and Work*, by Adolf Hausrath, consisting of a critical and biographical sketch by this intimate friend, and of nine essays by Treitschke containing the essentials of his doctrine of German policy, the substance of which had already been made known to those who do not read German by the late Professor Cramb's four lectures entitled *Germany and England* (Dutton).

Several volumes on the relations between France and Germany were published within the year preceding the outbreak of the present war and possess a consequent interest. *France et Allemagne, 1870-1913* (Paris, Perrin, 1913, pp. viii, 307) is a good survey of events from the French point of view by R. Pinon. Other books are L. Bruneau, *L'Allemagne en France* (Paris, Plon, 1914, pp. 340); G. Aubert, *La Folie Franco-Allemande: Étude Contemporaine, 1914* (Paris, Flammarion, 1914, pp. xvi, 284); and M. Leroy, *L'Alsace-Lorraine, Porte de France, Porte d'Allemagne* (Paris, Ollendorff, 1914). To these may be added a volume on *France et Suisse* (Paris, Perrin, 1914) by H. Moro.

Some idea of the German view of England and of the rivalry between the two countries may be obtained from E. Sieper, *Die Wirtschaftliche Rivalität zwischen Deutschland und England* (Munich, Oldenbourg, 1914, pp. 21); from H. A. Walter, *Die Neuere Englische Sozial-Politik* (*ibid.*, pp. xxiv, 179), which has an introduction by Mr. Lloyd George, and is the sixth volume of Sieper's *Die Kultur des Modernen Englands*, a publication with pacifist tendencies; from W. Franz, *Britische Kulturkraft im Dienste National-Deutschen Arbeit* (Tübingen, Mohr, 1914, pp. iv, 67); and from M. Herggelet, *Ueber die Wahrscheinlichkeit eines Krieges zwischen Deutschland und England und über die Zukunft der beiden Länder* (Leipzig, Weigand, 1914, pp. 110), which is an attack on Sir Edward Grey, by a German who has lived fifteen years in England.

Rather more than the usual interest in a doctor's thesis attaches to *Die Neutralisation von Staaten insbesondere die der Schweiz, Belgiens, Luxemburgs, und des früheren Kongostaates* (Berlin, Rothschild, 1913, pp. xvii, 252), by S. Richter. *Die Grossmächte der Gegenwart* (Leipzig, Teubner, 1914, pp. iii, 208), by Professor J. R. Kjellén of the University of Gothenburg, is a good survey written just before the war. The problems of international law involved in *Des Cessions de Territoires envisagées dans leur Principe et dans leurs Effets relatifs au Changement de Souveraineté et de Nationalité* (Paris, Rivière, 1914, pp. 236) have been studied by M. Costes. The financial problems are dealt with in A. Landry and B. Nogaro, *La Crise des Finances Publiques en France, en Angleterre, en Allemagne* (Paris, Alcan, 1914), and M. Évesque, *Les Finances de Guerre au XX<sup>e</sup> Siècle* (*ibid.*, pp. xi, 707), both of which appeared before the war. The labor side of the problem was discussed by P. Louis, *Le Syndicalisme Européen* (*ibid.*). Among the discussions of military problems which appeared shortly before the beginning of hostilities were *Études sur l'Avant-Guerre* (Paris, Chapelot, 1914) issued by the historical section of the French General Staff; and Lieutenant-Colonel H. Mordacq, *La Guerre au XX<sup>e</sup> Siècle: Essais Stratégiques* (Paris, Berger-Levrault, 1914, pp. xiii, 304), the individual essays being entitled *Étude Théorique d'une Situation Stratégique*; *Les Prodromes de Moukden*; *La Stratégie et la Cavalerie*; *La Stratégie et les Places Fortes*; *Stratégie Navale et Stratégie Terrestre—la Doctrine* une; and *La Durée Probable de la Prochaine Guerre*.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: X., *La Lotta Nazionale Serba fra gli Slavi Meridionali dell' Austria-Ungheria* (Nuova Antologia, October); H. Delbrück, *Die Kriegsgefahr* [dated 26 July] (Preussische Jahrbücher, August); Prince Kotschubei, *Das Problem der Triple-Entente: der Russische Gesichtspunkt* (*ibid.*, September); F. J. Schmidt, *Das Ethos des Politischen Gleichgewichtsgedankens* (*ibid.*, October).

#### GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND

The *Second Report of the Royal Commission on Public Records*, marked as volume II., part I., of the Commission (Cd. 7544), a blue-book of great interest to historical students, treats, with the same intelligent care as its predecessor, the constitution and contents of various public archives situated outside the Public Record Office, the treatment and public use of their papers, and the publications which have been made from them, and concludes with important recommendations.

The Royal Historical Society has moved to more commodious quarters at 22 Russell Square, Bloomsbury, London. Its programme for the session 1914-1915 is as follows: "The Despenser War in Glamorgan", by J. Conway Davies; "The Causes of the Anglo-German Hostilities in 1914, from the historian's point of view", by Dr. G. W. Prothero; "A French Provincial Assembly during the League", by Maurice Wilkinson;

"Some Unpublished Privy Seal Docquets of the Civil War Time", by Hilary Jenkinson and H. Symonds; "The Spanish Municipal Administration in South America, 1500-1800", by F. A. Kirkpatrick; "The Errors of Macaulay in his Estimation of the Squires and Parsons of the Seventeenth Century", by the Rev. P. H. Ditchfield; "Some Correspondence between Queen Elizabeth and the Czars of Russia", by Madame Inna Lubimenko; "King's Scholars in History and Modern Languages at Oxford and Cambridge, 1724-1727", by Oscar Browning; "The Historical Side of the Old English Poem of Widsith", by Alfred Anscombe.

Leaflet no. 35 of the English Historical Association is *A Brief Bibliography of British Constitutional History*.

Students will heartily welcome the appearance of the first part (topographical) of the *Guide to the Reports on Collections of Manuscripts of Private Families, Corporations and Institutions in Great Britain and Ireland* issued by the Historical Manuscripts Commission through Wymans.

As one of the supplementary papers of the British Academy, the Oxford University Press issues *Roman Britain in 1913* (pp. 60, with 23 illustrations), by Professor F. Haverfield.

Among the announcements of the Cambridge University Press is a new edition of *Beowulf* by R. W. Chambers and *English Historical Documents of the Ninth and Tenth Centuries* by Miss F. E. Harmer.

Mr. Hilaire Belloc has written the introduction and narrative for *The Book of the Bayeux Tapestry*, presenting the complete work in a series of color facsimiles (Chatto and Windus, pp. xix, 76 plates).

The Clarendon Press is shortly to publish a collection of family charters and papers dating from 1232 to 1696, edited by Sir James Ramsay.

The second part of Professor Petit-Dutaillis's *Studies Supplementary to Stubbs's Constitutional History*, translated by W. T. Waugh and edited by Professor Tait, has recently been published by the Manchester University Press. This volume deals with the rising of 1381.

Miss Alice Greenwood is preparing a selection from the Paston Letters to be published by Messrs. Bell in *Bohn's Historical Library*.

Mr. G. P. Gooch has contributed to the *Home University Library* a study of *Political Thought in England: from Bacon to Locke* (Holt).

A work of some historical value, with a large accumulation of facts, is J. Wickham Legg's *English Church Life from the Restoration to the Tractarian Movement* (Longmans and Company).

*John and Sarah, Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, 1660-1744, based on Unpublished Letters and Documents at Blenheim Palace*, by Stuart J. Reid (John Murray), finds its chief value as a study of the

Duchess of Marlborough, the new material bearing on the life of the duke being slight.

*Berkeley and Percival* (Cambridge University Press) by Benjamin Rand, consists of the correspondence of George Berkeley, afterward Bishop of Cloyne, and Sir John Percival, afterward Earl of Egmont.

Volume III. of *The Life of Lord Beaconsfield*, the first two volumes of which were written by M. F. Monypenny, has been completed by Mr. G. E. Buckle and will soon be published by John Murray.

Sir George Forrest, director of records to the government of India, is the author of *The Life of Lord Roberts, K. G., V. C.*, which was published but a short time before Lord Roberts's death.

G. Güttler has investigated the political theories and history of the labor movement in England in *Die Englische Arbeiterpartei* (Jena, Fischer, 1914, pp. x, 210). A local phase of the labor situation is the subject of *Londres et les Ouvriers de Londres* (Paris, Colin, 1914) by D. Pasquet.

The first series of the *Historical Records of Australia*, published by the Library Committee of the Commonwealth Parliament, will contain governors' despatches and instructions to and from England. One large volume has recently been issued covering the period 1788-1796.

The *Victorian Historical Magazine* for June contains a chatty article on "Scraps of Early Melbourne History, 1835-1839", by Thomas O'Callaghan, and the continuation of Edward A. Petherick's "Bibliography of the State of Victoria"; by way of documentary material is published a report of June, 1837, on the proposed mail route from Yass to Port Phillip.

British government publications: *Calendar of Patent Rolls*, Henry VII., vol. I., 1485-1494, ed. J. G. Black and R. H. Brodie; *Calendar of State Papers, Foreign, Elizabeth, January-June, 1583, and Addenda*, ed. A. J. Butler and Sophie C. Lomas; *Calendar of State Papers, Foreign, Elizabeth, July, 1583-July, 1584*, ed. Sophie C. Lomas; *Calendar of State Papers, Domestic Series, 1 March-31 December 1678, with Addenda, 1674-1679*, ed. F. H. Blackburne Daniell; *The Register of the Privy Council of Scotland*, third series, vol. VI., 1678-1680, ed. P. Hume Brown (Edinburgh, H. M. General Register House).

Other documentary publications: *Caithness and Sutherland Records*, vol. I., part VIII., 1422-1445 (29 Ashburnham Mansions, Chelsea); *Old-Lore Miscellany of Orkney, Shetland, Caithness, and Sutherland*, vol. VII., part IV. (*ibid.*); *Nottingham Records*, extracts from the archives of the corporation of Nottingham, vol. VI., 1702-1760.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: M. Rösler, *Erziehung in England vor der Normannischen Eroberung* (Englische Studien, XLVIII. 1); H. L. Gray, *The Commutation of Villein Services in England before the Black Death* (English Historical Review, October); Lord Sheffield, *Les*

*Relations Historiques Modernes entre l'Angleterre et l'Irlande* (Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, XXVIII, 3); Charlotte Lady Blennerhasset, *Das Viktorianische England* [conclusion] (Deutsche Rundschau, August, September); E. Laskine, *Zur Geschichte des Sozialen Toryismus* (Archiv für die Geschichte der Sozialismus und der Arbeiterbewegung, V. 1); J. D. Mackie, *Scotland and the Spanish Armada* (Scottish Historical Review, October); G. Neilson, *Scotstarvet's "Trew Relation"*, IV. (*ibid.*).

### FRANCE

General review: P. Courteault, *Bulletin du Sud-Ouest, 1911-1913* (Revue des Questions Historiques, October).

The *Correspondance du Maréchal de Vivonne relative à l'Expédition de Messine* is being edited by J. Cordey for the Society of the History of France. The documents in the first volume belong to the years 1674-1676 (Paris, Renouard, 1914, pp. 424). For the Society of Diplomatic History, L. Delavaud has edited a volume of *Documents du Marquis de Pomponne, Ambassadeur et Secrétaire d'État, 1618-1699* (Paris, Plon, 1911, pp. xx, 369) which was not actually published until last July. F. Scheichl is the author of *Der Malteserritter und Generallieutenant Jakob Bretel von Grémonville, der Gesandte Ludwigs des Vierzehnten am Wiener Hofe von 1664 bis 1673, der Mann mit der Schwarzen Maske* (Berlin, Ebering, 1914). R. Gleizes has written from contemporary documents *Jean le Vacher, Vicaire Apostolique et Consul de France à Tunis et à Alger, 1619-1683* (Paris, Gabalda, 1914, pp. xvi, 296).

In the edition of the works of Bossuet for the series of *Les Grands Écrivains de la France* (Paris, Hachette) which is being edited by C. Urbain and E. Levesque, the *Correspondance* has reached 1696 in the seventh volume, while the first volume of *Oeuvres Oratoires* covers the period 1648-1654. H. Brémond, *Bossuet* (Paris, Plon, 1914) in the *Bibliothèque Française, XVII<sup>e</sup> Siècle*, contains a biographical sketch with selections from the works of Bossuet. *Bossuet et Louis XIV., 1662-1704* (Paris, Champion, 1914, pp. 128) is a brilliant essay by Professor A. Gazier.

The fifth series of *Paris sous Louis XV., Rapports des Inspecteurs de Police au Roi* (Paris, *Mercure de France*, 1914), by C. Piton, contains the notes and the index. P. Hildenfinger has brought out a volume of *Documents sur les Juifs à Paris au XVIII<sup>e</sup> Siècle, Actes d'Inhumation et Scellés* (Paris, Champion, 1914, pp. viii, 290) for the Société de l'Histoire de Paris et de l'Ile de France.

Professor Marcel Marion of the College of France has dealt with the years 1715-1789 in the first volume of *Histoire Financière de la France depuis 1715* (Paris, Rousseau, 1914). A volume on *Necker Économiste* (Paris, Rivière, 1914, pp. 316) is by C. Vacher de Lapouge.



A publication of the historical section of the general staff by Captain A. Latreille deals with the period from 1761 to 1789 under the title, *L'Armée et la Nation à la Fin de l'Ancien Régime, les Derniers Ministres de la Guerre de la Monarchie* (Paris, Chapelot, 1914, pp. xv, 460).

Professor H. E. Bourne is shortly publishing through the Century Company *The French Revolution and the Napoleonic Era*, a volume in the same series as Professor Hazen's *Europe since 1815* (edited by Professor Haskins).

As scarcely anything has been published describing the situation and feelings in the provinces at the moment of the assembling of the States General in 1789, there is peculiar interest attaching to the *Journal Historique de ce qui s'est passé en l'Hôtel de Ville de Rouen à l'Occasion des États Généraux du Royaume tenus à Versailles au Mois de Mai, 1789* (Rouen, Laine, 1914, pp. 46), edited by C. Poullain, from the manuscript in the municipal archives of Rouen. A discussion of *Les Origines de la Guerre de Vendée* (Paris, Champion, 1914, pp. viii, 282), by H. Jagot, appears as the tenth volume of the *Bibliothèque de la Révolution et de l'Empire*. E. Labadie has published numerous facsimiles in a little volume on *Les Billets de Confiance émis par les Caisses Patriotiques du Département de la Gironde, 1791-1793* (Bordeaux, Mollat, 1914, pp. 138); A. Leclère has issued the volume for 1790 in his exhaustive history of *La Révolution à Alençon* (Paris, Leroux, 1914, pp. xvii, 268). R. de la Giraudière has written a brief article on *Une Petite Commune Rurale de Sologne pendant la Révolution, 1792-1805* (Orléans, Gont, 1914, pp. 24); and there are volumes on *Thuret* (Riom, Jouvet, 1913, pp. 236) by J. Berriat-Saint-Prix, and on *Saint Ouen* (Paris, Champion, n. d., pp. 330) by H. Perradeau.

In a review of O. G. de Heidenstam, *Marie Antoinette, Fersen, et Barnave, leur Correspondance* (Paris, Calmann-Lévy, 1913) by Professor Hans Glagau in *Internationale Monatsschrift*, VIII. 621-638, the authenticity of the letters, which purport to have been preserved by the Fersen family in the chateau of Löfstad, Sweden, is attacked. At the request of Heidenstam two Swedish librarians, C. M. Stenbock and Carl Grönblad, made an investigation and reported favorably to the authenticity in the June issue of the *Internationale Monatsschrift*, to which Professor Glagau replies at length in the same number, defending his original position and adducing new arguments to sustain his attack. Judgment must be suspended pending the presentation of indubitable proofs, which Heidenstam should lose no time in offering.

E. Welvert has edited from the notes and papers of Theodore de Lameth, the brother of the famous brothers Lameth of the Constituent Assembly and himself a member of the Legislative Assembly, a volume of *Mémoires*, and another of *Notes et Souvenirs* (Paris, Fontemoing, 1913, 1914). J. de Dampierre has edited *Mémoires de Barthélemy, 1768-1819*

(Paris, Plon, 1914, pp. xvi, 439); and G. Lacour-Gayet, *Mémoires du Vice-Amiral Baron Grivel, Révolution, Empire* (*ibid.*, pp. vii, 423).

Lieutenant Ducournau has dealt with the period of the Constituent Assembly in the first volume of *Le Pouvoir Législatif et l'Armée sous la Révolution* (Paris, Charles-Lavauzelle, 1913, pp. 190). A volume on *Les Sociétés Populaires et l'Armée, 1791-1794* (Paris, Daragon, 1913, pp. 207) is by P. Dufay. The first series of Commandant G. Dumont, *Études sur l'Armée pendant la Révolution*, relates to 1791, *Bataillons de Volontaires Nationaux, Cadres et Historiques* (Paris, Charles-Lavauzelle, 1914, pp. 480). Captain S. Vialla has issued the first volume of *L'Armée Nationale: les Volontaires des Bouches-du-Rhône, 1791-1792* (Paris, Chapelot, 1914); Colonel E. Picard, *Au Service de la Nation, Lettres de Volontaires, 1792-1798* (Paris, Alcan, 1914); and R. Brice, a work of sober research on *La Femme et les Armées de la Révolution et de l'Empire, 1792-1815* (Paris, Ambert, 1914, pp. 363).

*Bernadotte: the First Phase (1763-1799)*, by D. Plunkett Barton (John Murray) is an admirable study which the author hopes hereafter to supplement by a work on Bernadotte's later life.

The following recent publications relating to the Reign of Terror deserve to be enumerated: E. Seligman, *La Justice en France pendant la Révolution, 1791-1793* (Paris, Plon, 1913), continuing his earlier work; Abbé A. C. Sabatié, *Le Tribunal Révolutionnaire, Origine, Évolution, Principaux Procès, ses Victimes dans le Clergé* (Paris, Lethielleux, 1914, pp. xx, 640); E. Daudet, *De la Terreur au Consulat, Récits Romanesques et Tragiques en Marge des Temps Révolutionnaires* (Paris, Émile-Paul, 1914, pp. iii, 293); and G. Gautherot, *Le Vandalisme Jacobin, Destructions Administratives d'Archives, d'Objets d'Art, de Monuments Religieux à l'Époque Révolutionnaire, d'après des Documents Originaux en grande Partie inédits* (Paris, Beauchesne, 1914, pp. xv, 368).

Only very recently have the French undertaken to study their departmental administrative system and its history. The creation and organization of the departments in 1789-1790 and the vicissitudes and modifications of their administration under the Revolution, the Empire, and the Restoration afford a wealth of good material which, in part, has been used in the following recent publications: G. Maurion, *La Formation du Département de la Seine-Inférieure* (Paris, Recueil Sirey, 1913, pp. 229); E. Couard, *L'Administration Départementale de Seine-et-Oise, 1790-1913* (Versailles, Aubert, 1913, pp. xi, 476); C. Faure, *Le Département de la Drôme de 1800 à 1802* (Valence, Céas, 1913, pp. 254); P. Viard, *L'Administration Préfectorale dans le Département de la Côte-d'Or sous le Consulat et le Premier Empire* (Paris, Champion, 1914, pp. 390); and Abbé J. Moulard, *Lettres inédites du Comte Camille de Tournon, Préfet de Rome, 1809-1814, Première Partie, la Politique et l'Esprit Public* (Paris, Champion, 1914, pp. xvi, 287); and *Le Comte Camille de Tournon, Préfet de la Gironde, 1815-1822* (*ibid.*, pp. xxxix, 586).

F. M. Kircheisen has issued the second and third volumes of *Napoleon I.; sein Leben und seine Zeit* (Munich, Müller, 1914), and his wife, Gertrude Kircheisen, the first volume of *Napoleon und die Seinen* (*ibid.*). C. Cherfils has written an essay on *Bonaparte et l'Islam* (Paris, Giard and Brière, 1913). P. Holzhausen, *Paris sous le Consulat* (Paris, Berger-Levrault, 1914, pp. xi, 262), translated from the German by Commandant Minart, and Prince Charles de Clary et Aldringen, *Trois Mois à Paris lors du Mariage de l'Empereur Napoléon I<sup>er</sup> et de l'Archiduchesse Marie Louise* (Paris, Plon, 1914, pp. xvi, 428), edited by Baron de Mitis and Count de Pimodan, give the views of foreign observers.

Col. Vachée's *Napoléon en Campagne*, mentioned heretofore in these pages, has been translated into English and published by the Macmillan Company under the title *Napoleon at Work*.

With the eighth volume the *Lettres et Documents pour servir à l'Histoire de Joachim Murat, 1767-1815* (Paris, Plon, 1914), edited by Prince Murat, have reached August 5, 1810. Some *Lettres de Dupont d'Hervail, Chef d'État-Major de la Grande Armée* (Paris, Chapelot, 1914, pp. 154) have been published by A. Vaillant. Recent publications of memoirs by personages of the Napoleonic period include *Mémoires du Comte Roger de Damas, Vienne de 1806 à 1814* (2 vols., Paris, Plon, 1914), edited by J. Rambaud; *Mémoires du Général Bro, 1796-1844* (*ibid.*, pp. 314), edited by Baron Henry Bro de Comères; and Captain J. C. Friederich, *Mémoires d'un Mort, 1805-1828* (3 vols., Paris, Librairie Universelle, 1913). The third volume of General H. Bonnal's *Vie Militaire du Maréchal Ney* (Paris, Chapelot, 1914) has appeared. A. de La Valette Monbrun, *Essai de Biographie Historique et Psychologique, Maine de Biran, 1766-1824* (Paris, Fontemoing, 1914, pp. viii, 544); J. Turquan, *La Générale Junot, Duchesse d'Abrantès, 1784-1838* (Paris, Tallandier, 1914); and Baron A. de Maricourt, *La Duchesse d'Orléans, la Mère de Louis Philippe, la Révolution, l'Exil, les Dernières Années* (Paris, Émile-Paul, 1914) are among the new biographies for the period.

Contemporary views of the July Monarchy and the Second Empire are furnished by E. Daudet's editions of the *Journal du Comte Rodolphe Apponyi, Attaché de l'Ambassade d'Autriche à Paris, 1826-1850* (vol. III., Paris, Plon, 1914, pp. 520), and of the *Journal de Victor de Balabine, Secrétaire de l'Ambassade de Russie à Paris de 1842 à 1852* (vol. I., Paris, Émile-Paul, 1914); and by Léon Molinos, *Quelques Souvenirs d'un Octogénaire* (Paris, Plon, 1914).

Correspondence with his wife and with most of the important contemporary statesmen of France appears in the *Lettres de Jules Ferry, 1846-1893* (Paris, Calmann-Lévy, 1914). The presidency of Thiers is the subject of the second volume of A. Claveau, *Souvenirs Politiques et Parlementaires* (Paris, Plon, 1914, pp. iii, 474). A varied career in French affairs is revealed in Count de Maugny, *Cinquante Ans de Sou-*

*venirs, 1859-1909 (ibid.)*. Jérôme and Jean Tharaud describe another checkered career in *La Vie et la Mort de Paul Deroulède* (Paris, Émile-Paul, 1914, pp. 264). *Das Französische Geldwesen im Kriege, 1870-1878* (Strassburg, Trübner, 1913, pp. xii, 525) was presented by F. Gutmann, as his thesis for the doctorate at the University of Strassburg. A. Siegfried, *Tableau Politique de la France de l'Ouest sous la 3<sup>e</sup> République* (Paris, Alcan, 1914); A. Lods, *La Nouvelle Législation des Cultes Protestants en France, 1905-1913* (Paris, Fischbacher, 1914); and Professor Le Fur, *Le Protectorat de la France sur les Catholiques d'Orient et la Reprise de nos Relations avec le Saint-Siège* (Paris, Pedone, 1914) are other new publications relating to the Third Republic.

Some phases of the political agitation in France in the months preceding the present war are shown in L. Dimier, *L'Action Libérale dans les Élections* (Paris, Nouvelle Librairie Nationale, 1914, pp. 310); the second edition of G. Valois, *La Monarchie et la Classe Ouvrière (ibid., pp. clx, 400)*; and J. L. de Lanessan, former minister of marine, *La Crise de la République* (Paris, Alcan, 1914).

The militarist agitation in France during the months preceding the present war may be studied, in part, in L. de Montesquiou, *1870, les Causes Politiques du Désastre* (Paris, Nouvelle Librairie Nationale, 1914, pp. 288); C. Maurras, *Kiel et Tanger, 1895-1905; la République Française devant l'Europe, Nouvelle Édition revue et augmentée d'une Préface de 1905 à 1913 (ibid., pp. cxviii, 433)*; which is a rejoinder to Marcel Sembat, *Faites un Roi, sinon Faites la Paix*, in reply to the first edition; C. Maurras, *Enquête sur la Monarchie (ibid., pp. lvi, 565)*; J. Bainville, *Le Coup d'Agadir et la Guerre d'Orient; Lutttes et Conflits de la Triple Entente et de la Triplice, la Politique des Grandes Monarchies Autoritaires du XX<sup>e</sup> Siècle, Décadence du Libéralisme et l'Avenir de la Réaction dans l'Europe Contemporaine (ibid., pp. ix, 324)*; Colonel Debon, *Notre Parlementarisme et la Défense Nationale en 1914* (Paris, Figuière, 1914); and A. Mévil, *La Paix est Malade* (Paris, Plon, 1914).

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: R. de Launay, *Le Combat de Perigny, Août 52 av. C.* (Revue des Questions Historiques, July); M. Tangl, *Die Epoche Pippins* (Neues Archiv der Gesellschaft für aeltere Deutsche Geschichtskunde, XXXIX. 2); J. Morize, *Aigues-Mortes au XIII<sup>e</sup> Siècle* (Annales du Midi, July); L. Mirot, *L'Enlèvement du Dauphin et le Premier Conflit entre Jean sans Peur et Louis d'Orléans, Juillet-Octobre, 1405 [conclusion]* (Revue des Questions Historiques, July, October); H. Prutz, *Die Briefe Jeanne d'Arcs* (Sitzungsberichte der K. Bayerischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, phil.-hist. Kl., 1914, 1); M. Sepet, *Observations Critiques sur l'Histoire de Jeanne d'Arc, la Relation Officielle du Procès de Condamnation et la Diplomatie de l'Angleterre* (Revue des Questions Historiques, October); M. Prevost, *L'Assistance aux Invalides de la Guerre avant 1670 (ibid.)*; E. Divoff, *Paris pendant le Consulat, I.* (Revue de Paris, August 1); G. Labouchère,

*Un Financier Diplomate au Siècle Dernier, Pierre-César Labouchère, 1772-1839* [conclusion] (*Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique*, XXVIII. 1); L. Polier, *La France en Égypte* (*Revue des Deux Mondes*, August 1); H. Welschinger, *Souvenirs de Bordeaux, 1871-1914*, I. (*ibid.*, November 1).

### ITALY, SPAIN, AND PORTUGAL

In the *Regesta Pontificum Romanorum*, P. F. Kehr has issued the second part of the sixth volume of *Italia Pontificia* (Berlin, Weidmann, 1914, pp. xxxvii, 392) dealing with Piedmont and Liguria.

Various phases of the history of the Dark Ages in Italy are treated in G. Salvioli, *Storia Economica d'Italia nell' Alto Medio Evo, le Nostri Origini* (Naples, Detken and Rocholl, 1913); F. Tarducci, *L'Italia dalla Discesa di Alboino alla Morte di Agilulfo* (Città di Castello, Lapi, 1914); and G. H. Hörle, *Frühmittelalterliche Mönchs- und Klerikerbildung in Italien, Geistliche Bildungsideale vom 6. bis 9. Jahrhundert* (Freiburg i. B., Herder, 1914, pp. xii, 88) which deals with south Italy, Naples, Ravenna, and the Greek colony in Rome and shows the lingering of Greek speech and influence in Italy. The fifth part of L. Schiaparelli, *I Diplomi dei Re d'Italia* (Rome, Tip. del Senato, 1914, pp. 255) contains the diplomas of Hugh and Lothaire. The same editor has co-operated with F. Baldasseroni in the issue of the third volume of *Regesta di Camaldoli* (Rome, Loescher, 1914, pp. viii, 397).

A work entitled *Life and Letters of the Italian Renaissance* by Christopher Hare is announced by Messrs. Stanley Paul.

G. Jalla, *Storia della Riforma in Piemonte fino alla Morte di Emanuele Filiberto, 1517-1580* (Florence, Lib. Claudiana, 1914, pp. iv, 411); C. Contessa, *I Regni di Napoli e di Sicilia nelle Aspirazioni Italiane di Vittorio Amedeo II. di Savoia, 1700-1713* (Turin, Bocca, 1914, pp. 139); and C. Bandini, *Roma e la Nobiltà Romana nel Tramonto del Secolo XVIII.* (Città di Castello, Lapi, 1914, pp. xvi, 389) are recent monographs on modern Italian history.

In addition to A. Sartorius, Freiherr von Waltershausen, *Die Sizilianische Agrarverfassung und ihre Wandlungen, 1780-1912, eine Sozialpolitische und Wirtschaftliche Untersuchung* (Leipzig, Deichert, 1913, pp. xii, 385), the following monographs on the revolutionary and Napoleonic periods in Italy have recently appeared: P. Cardona, *La Sicilia durante la 1ª e 2ª Coalizione contro la Francia, 1793-1801* (Catania, Giannotta, 1914); A. Simioni, *La Congiura Giacobina del 1794 a Napoli* (Naples, Pierro, 1914, pp. 129); L. F. A. Peracca, *L'Alta Valle di Susa dal 1789 al 1804, la Rivoluzione Francese, la Repubblica Cisalpina, il Consolato di Napoleone* (Turin, Massaro, 1914, pp. 198); G. Rizzardo, *Il Patriarcato di Venezia durante il Regno Napoleonico, 1806-1814* (Venice, Ferrari, 1914, pp. 119); T. Baldi, *Un Episodio della Politica Ecclesiastica di Napoleone: a Proposito della Elezione del Vescovo di Nancy*

*ad arcivescovo di Firenze, 1810-1814* (Florence, Seeber, 1914, pp. 129); and E. Piola-Caselli, *Un Ministro Toscano al Congresso di Vienna, 1814-1815* (Pistoia, Tip. Cooperativa, 1914, pp. 138).

The development of secret societies in Italy under the Restoration is shown in A. Baretta, *Le Società Segrete in Toscana, 1814-1824* (Turin, Unione, 1913, pp. viii, 175), and in Zara, *La Carboneria in Terra d'Otranto, 1820-1830* (Turin, Bocca, 1914). M. degli Alberti is using the papers of Count Bertone di Sambuy in the preparation of *La Politica Estera del Piemonte sotto Carlo Alberto* (*ibid.*, pp. 380), of which the first volume deals with the years 1835-1838. G. Leti has published a liberally illustrated volume on *La Rivoluzione e la Repubblica Romana, 1848-1849* (Milan, Vallardi, 1913, pp. xv, 531).

Messrs. Doran have published the third volume of their translation of the *Memoirs of Francesco Crispi*, covering the period of the formation and early history of the Triple Alliance.

During the past four years, Senator T. Palamenghi-Crispi has been publishing from the family papers a series of volumes of materials relating to the career of Francesco Crispi, under the following titles: *I Mille* (Milan, Treves, 1911, pp. 409); *Carteggi Politici inediti, 1860-1900* (Rome, 1912); *Politica Estera, Memorie e Documenti* (Milan, Treves, 1912), for the period 1876 to 1890; *Questioni Internazionali, Diario e Documenti* (ditto, pp. 300), supplementing the previous volume; *Ultimi Scritti e Discorsi Extraparlamentari, 1891-1901* (Rome, 1913), continuing *Scritti e Discorsi Politici, 1849-1890* (Rome, 1890; second ed., Turin, s. d.); and *La Prima Guerra d'Africa* (Milan, Treves, 1914, pp. xii, 419).

*Italy's Foreign and Colonial Policy: a Selection from the Speeches delivered in the Italian Parliament by the Italian Foreign Affairs Minister Senator Tommaso Tittoni during his Six Years of Office* (1903-1909), the English translation by Baron Bernardo Quaranta di San Severino (Smith, Elder, and Company), contains valuable material for any study of the diplomatic history of the years in question.

*Isabella the Catholic*, by Mrs. Julia Cartwright, has been added to the *Heroes of the Nations* series.

Two volumes of the writings of the second Viscount de Santarem, newly published for gratuitous distribution by the present viscount, have already been noted in this REVIEW (XVIII. 656). A third volume, entitled *2º Visconde de Santarem: Ineditos (Miscellanea)* (Lisbon, Imprensa Libanio da Silva, 1914, pp. 583), contains a mass of historical, geographical, biographical, bibliographical, and archival information, largely relating to the history of Portuguese explorations and discoveries. Besides many brief notes the book also includes some memoirs, of which the longest is entitled "Vinda de parte da Familia Real Hespanhola para Portugal e suas consequencias" (pp. 1-62). The editor,

Jordão de Freitas, promises further volumes, with material for continuations of Santarem's *Essai sur l'Histoire de la Cosmographie pendant le Moyen Âge* and of his *Quadro Elementar*.

A. Pellizzari has collected a series of studies and essays mostly on Renaissance subjects in *Portogallo e Italia nel Secolo XVI*. (Naples, Perrella, 1914, pp. 338). B. Romano has issued a book on *L'Espulsione dei Jesuiti dal Portogallo* (Città di Castello, Lapi, 1914, pp. 125); and P. Lebesgue, on *La République Portugaise* (Paris, Sansot, 1914, pp. 307).

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: C. H. Haskins, *Moses of Bergamo* (Byzantinische Zeitschrift, XXIII. 1); R. Palmarocchi, *Le Riforme di Gioacchino Murat nel Primo Anno di Regno* (Archivio Storico Italiano, LXXII. 1); F. Gentili, *La Relazione dell' Ambasceria di Mons. Morichini a Vienna nel 1848 e sua Genesi* (Rassegna Contemporanea, August 10); M. Mazziotti, *Lettere Politiche di un Intimo Amico del Conte di Cavour* (Nuova Antologia, October); P. Buscalione, *Cavour e la Massoneria* (Rassegna Contemporanea, July 25); Marquis J. N. Pepoli, *La Question Romaine, 1856-1860* [conclusion] (Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, XXVIII. 1, 2); Anonymous, *Le Pontificat de Pie X.* (Revue des Deux Mondes, September 15); G. A. di Cesarò, *Le Responsabilità del Marchese di S. Giuliano* (Rassegna Contemporanea, October 10); F. Mendizábal, *Investigaciones acerca del Origen, Historia, y Organización de la Real Chancillería de Valladolid, su Jurisdicción y Competencia, I.-IV.* (Revista de Archivos, Bibliotecas, y Museos, January, March, May, July); F. M. Angel, *La Vie Franciscaine en Espagne entre les Deux Couronnements de Charles-Quint ou le Premier Commissaire Général des Provinces Franciscaines des Indes Occidentales, VI.* (*ibid.*, July); M. Hume, *Las Reinas de la España Antigua, Juana la Loca, María Tudor, Isabel de la Paz (Isabel de Valois)* (La España Moderna, June-October); C. Cambroner, *La Reina Gobernadora, Crónicas Políticas de 1833 à 1840, IV.* (*ibid.*, October).

#### GERMANY, AUSTRIA, AND SWITZERLAND

Two phases of Pan-Germanism are manifested and studied in C. Müller, *Altgermanische Meeresherrschaft* (Gotha, Perthes, 1914, pp. xii, 487), which treats the period prior to 1200, including the Scandinavian as well as the Teutonic peoples; and in A. Zimmermann, *Geschichte der Deutschen Kolonialpolitik* (Berlin, Mittler, 1914, pp. xvi, 336).

The fourth and fifth editions of the late R. Koser's *Geschichte Friedrichs des Grossen* have been concluded with a fourth volume (Stuttgart, Cotta, 1914, pp. 175) containing the appendixes, bibliography, and index. There is a biography of *Der Prinz von Preussen August Wilhelm als Politiker* (Berlin, Ebering, 1913); and one by B. Rosenmöller of *Schulenberg-Kehnert unter Friedrich den Grossen* (Berlin, Rothschild, 1914). The valuable manuscript of A. H. Lucanus, in the library of the University of Königsberg, describing *Preussens Uralter und Heutiger Zu-*

*stand*, 1748 (2 vols., Lötzen, Sommerfeldt, 1913, pp. viii, 16, 451; viii, 363) is a mine of historical, geographical, ethnographical, and statistical information collected by a judicial official under Frederick William I. and Frederick the Great. It deals with West Prussia as well as with East Prussia and will be consulted by students of Prussian history along with L. von Baczko, *Handbuch der Geschichte, Erdbeschreibung, und Statistik Preussens* (Königsberg, 1802-1803).

The third volume concludes *Preussens Heer von seinen Anfängen bis zur Gegenwart* (Berlin, Mittler, 1914, pp. xxv, 543) by O. Freiherr von der Osten-Sacken und von Rhein. The part relating to 1813 in *Das Preussische Heer der Befreiungskriege* (*ibid.*, pp. viii, 645) has been issued by the military history section of the German General Staff.

The year 1914 saw the publication of a notable group of works on the growth and spread of political ideas in Germany during the first half of the nineteenth century. G. F. Preuss wrote on *Die Quellen des Nationalgeistes der Befreiungskriege* (Berlin, Mittler); P. Herre, on *Von Preussens Befreiungs- und Verfassungskampf, aus den Papieren des Oberburggrafen Magnus von Brünneck* (*ibid.*, pp. ix, 501); Meisner, on *Die Lehre vom Monarchischen Prinzip im Zeitalter der Restauration und des Deutschen Bundes* (Breslau, Marcus); A. Fichert, on *Montesquieus und Rousseaus Einfluss auf den Vormärzlichen Liberalismus Badens* (Leipzig, pp. viii, 112); and K. Buchheim, on *Die Stellung der Kölnischen Zeitung im Vormärzlichen Rheinischen Liberalismus* (Leipzig, Voigtländer, pp. xi, 430).

Several items relating to German historians of the nineteenth century possess an historical as well as a merely biographical interest. E. Waitz has written a *Lebens- und Charakterbild George Waitz, zu seinem Hundertjährigen Geburtstag* (Berlin, Weidmann, 1913, pp. 100); A. Lübke, a monograph on *Friedrich von Gentz und Heinrich von Sybel: ein Beitrag zur Geschichte der Neueren Historiographie* (Göttingen, Vandenhoeck and Ruprecht, 1913), and Rittinghaus, a study of *Die Kunst der Geschichtschreibung Heinrich von Treitschkes* (Leipzig, Voigtländer, 1914). Treitschke's *Briefe* are being edited by Max Cornicelius and published by Hirzel of Leipzig.

R. C. T. Eigenbrodt, *Meine Erinnerungen aus den Jahren 1848, 1849, und 1850* (Darmstadt, Staatsverlag, 1914, pp. iv, 58, 374) is a valuable detailed chronicle which was read in manuscript and annotated by Heinrich von Gagern. The editor, L. Bergsträsser, has written an excellent biographical introduction for this volume published in the *Quellen und Forschungen* for grand-ducal Hesse.

W. Schröder, *Handbuch der Sozialdemokratischen Parteitage von 1863 bis 1909* (Munich, Birk, 1914, pp. 591) presents in useful form a mass of material relating to the history of the social-democratic party. The first volume of W. Blos, *Denkwürdigkeiten eines Sozialdemokraten*



(*ibid.*, pp. vii, 287), is interesting though it gives but little new information.

*Le Reichstag Impérial, 1871-1912; Étude de Démographie Politique* (Paris, 1914) by Paul Meuriot; and *Die Deutsche Volkswirtschaft und ihre Wandlungen im letzten Vierteljahrhundert* (2 vols., Munich, Gladbach, 1914) by Georg Neuhaus are scholarly investigations.

Some of the conditions in medieval Frankfort are portrayed in K. Bücher, *Die Berufe der Stadt Frankfurt a. M. im Mittelalter* (Leipzig, Teubner, 1914, pp. 143) in the *Abhandlungen* of the Saxon Academy, and in I. Kracauer, *Urkunden zur Geschichte der Juden von Frankfurt a. M., 1150-1400* (vol. I., Frankfort, Kauffmann, 1914). H. Dechent deals with a later period in his *Kirchengeschichte von Frankfurt a. M. seit der Reformation* (vol. I., Frankfort, Kesselring, 1914). The archaeological institute of Frankfort has published a volume of notable excellence and value by Georg Wolff on *Die Südliche Wetterau in Vor- und Frühgeschichtlicher Zeit* (Frankfort, Ravenstein, 1913, pp. 196) which relates to the environs of the city.

The commission for modern Austrian history has recently issued the third volume (of L. Bittner, *Chronologisches Verzeichnis der Oesterreichischen Staatsverträge* (Vienna, Holzhausen, 1914).

Krauter's volume on *Franz Freiherr von Ottenfels* (Salzburg, Pustet, 1914) throws some light on the obscure subject of Metternich's policy and relations with the Greek war for independence. Ottenfels was ambassador at Constantinople during the period.

Messrs. Appleton are soon to issue *Francis Joseph and his Times* by Sir Horace Rumbold, who for four years was British ambassador in Vienna.

Hans Barth has begun the publication of a *Bibliographie der Schweizer Geschichte enthaltend die selbständig erschienenen Druckwerke zur Geschichte der Schweiz bis Ende 1912*, of which the first volume contains *Quellen und Bearbeitungen nach der Folge der Begebenheiten* (Basel, Basler Buch- und Antiquariatshandlung, xviii, 529). The work is published in the *Quellen zur Schweizer Geschichte* of the Allgemeine Geschichtsforschende Gesellschaft.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: M. Krammer, *Die Frage des Laienkurrechts vom Interregnum bis zum Goldenen Bulle* (Neues Archiv der Gesellschaft für aeltere Deutsche Geschichtkunde, XXXIX. 2); A. Martin, *Geschichte der Tanzkrankheit in Deutschland* (Zeitschrift des Vereins für Volkskunde, XXIV. 2, 3); H. Barge, *Zur Genesis der Frühreformatorischen Vorgänge in Wittenberg* (Historische Vierteljahrsschrift, XXV. 1); L. Bergstrasser, *Neue Beiträge zur Geschichte der Berliner Märztage* (*ibid.*); R. Fester, *Die Genesis der Emser Depesche* [conclusion] (Deutsche Rundschau, August); F. Mehring, *Engels und*

*Marx* (Archiv für die Geschichte des Sozialismus und der Arbeiterbewegung, V. 1); R. Peschke, *Moltke als Politiker* (Preussische Jahrbücher, October); P. Rohrbach, *L'Évolution de l'Allemagne comme Puissance Mondiale* (Revue Politique Internationale, July); A. Dürrwaechter, *Zur Bayerischen Geschichte unter Ferdinand Maria und Max Emanuel* (Historisches Jahrbuch, XXXV. 3); A. Domanovsky, *Zur Frage der Thronfolge im Zeitalter der Arpáden* (Ungarische Rundschau, July); T. Ortway, *Die Schlacht von Mohács; ihre Ursachen und Folgen* (*ibid.*).

#### NETHERLANDS AND BELGIUM

A. Oppermann is the editor of a new series of *Bijdragen van het Instituut voor Middeleeuwse Geschiedenis der Rijks-Universiteit te Utrecht* of which the first volume is N. B. Tenhaeff, *Diplomatische Studien over Utrechtsche Oorkonden der X<sup>e</sup> tot XII<sup>e</sup> Eeuw* (Utrecht, Oosthoek, 1914); and the second, H. P. Coster, *De Kroniek van Johannes de Beka, haar Bronnen en haar Eerste Redactie* (*ibid.*, pp. 302). Beka was a Utrecht chronicler of the fourteenth century whose narrative extended from the time of Willibrod to 1346. The chronicle was first printed in 1611, and there is a continuation to 1524.

M. Joseph Cuvelier, general archivist of the kingdom of Belgium, began with the year 1914 the publication of an annual entitled *Les Archives de l'État en Belgique* (pp. 537). It was planned, and, as it will now seem, very fortunately planned, that the initial volume, for 1914, should contain not merely the year's reports of work and accessions, for the General Archives at Brussels and for each of the eight state archives in the provinces, but a tabular statement of the contents of each and of its printed inventories, the whole making a manual or guide of much value to the historical worker.

The *Bulletin* of the Belgian Commission Royale d'Histoire, LXXXIII. 1, consists almost entirely of a critical examination of the Anchin continuation of Siegbert of Gembloux (important for the years 1150-1200), by Dr. P. Kath. The Commission has also published *Les Archives Farnésiennes de Parme* (pp. 164), treated from the point of view of Belgian history, by Professor L. Van der Essen of Louvain, and the first part of M. Léo Verriest's *Les Archives Départementales du Nord à Lille* (pp. 181), from the same point of view.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: A. Moullé, *Les Corporations Drapières de la Flandre au Moyen-Age*, I. (Revue des Questions Historiques, July); A. Eekhof, *Twee Documenten betreffende den Slavenhandel in de 17<sup>e</sup> Eeuw* (Nederlandsch Archief voor Kerkgeschiedenis, XI. 3); L. de Torre, *Los Motines Militares en Flandes*, I. (Revista de Archivos, Bibliotecas, y Museos, May, July).

## NORTHERN AND EASTERN EUROPE

*The Autobiography of Charlotte Amélie, Princess of Aldenburg*, translated by Mrs. Aubrey Le Blond (New York, McBride, Nast, and Company), the memoirs of a princess of the House of Trémoille, lady in waiting to the Queen of Denmark and wife to the king's brother, gives a useful picture of the customs of the period.

James Mavor, professor of political economy in the University of Toronto, has recently issued *An Economic History of Russia* (New York, Dutton, 1914, pp. xxxii, 614, xxii, 630). The first volume treats mainly of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, and the second of the revolutionary movements. The history of the Jews in Russia and their endeavors to improve their character and status are recounted in *The Haskalah Movement in Russia* (Philadelphia, the Jewish Publications Society of America, 1913, pp. 355) by Dr. J. S. Raisin.

E. A. Brayley Hodgetts is the author of *The Life of Catherine the Great of Russia* (Brentano), which attempts to treat Catherine chiefly from the point of view of her value to Russia. The author has achieved a fair-minded and detailed picture, using diplomatic papers and personal letters extensively.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: C. Waliszewski, *Alexandre I<sup>er</sup> Diplomate* (Revue d'Histoire Diplomatique, XXVIII. 3); E. Daniels, *Russische Finanzen unter Alexander II. und der Ursprung des Türkenkrieges von 1877* (Preussische Jahrbücher, August); M. Kovalevsky, *La Contre-Révolution en Russie* (Revue Politique Internationale, July, August); J. Dräseke, *Kaiser Kantakuzenos' Geschichtswerk* (Neue Jahrbücher, XXXIII. 7); F. van Langenhove, *La Nationalité Albanaise* (Revue de l'Université de Bruxelles, February, March, June).

## THE FAR EAST AND INDIA

The Archaeological Institute of America proposes to undertake the institution of an American School of Archaeology in Pekin. Preliminary inquiries and investigations in China, Indo-China, Manchuria, Mongolia, and Russia have been made by Mr. Langdon Warner, the director.

In *Japanese Government Documents, 1867-1889*, issued by the Asiatic Society of Japan (Tokyo, 1914, pp. 681) English translations are presented of all the essential documents—laws, constitutions, ordinances, rescripts—for the history of the transition from the feudal to the modern and representative régime.

The Arthur H. Clark Company has published a volume by Professor F. A. Golder, of the Washington State Agricultural College, on *Russian Expansion on the Pacific, 1641-1850*, an account of Russian expeditions along the Pacific Coast of Asia and North America, and to the Arctic regions.

In *The Gods of Northern Buddhism*, a sumptuous volume published by the Oxford University Press (pp. 246), Professor A. Getty presents an account of the history and progressive evolution of these deities throughout the northern Buddhist countries, and especially of their iconography.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: W. W. Rockhill, *Notes on the Relations and Trade of China with the Eastern Archipelago and the Coast of the Indian Ocean during the Fourteenth Century*, I. (T'oung Pao, XV.); M. von Brandt, *Zur Geschichte der Chinesischen Revolution*, II. (Deutsche Rundschau, September).

### AMERICA

#### GENERAL ITEMS

The work on the Atlas of the Historical Geography of the United States which is being prepared by the Department of Historical Research in the Carnegie Institution of Washington has profited much by the aid of Professor R. H. Whitbeck of the University of Wisconsin, who has been associated with it for the period extending from October 1 to February 1. Professor Golder has finished his work for the Department in the archives of Moscow as well as those of Petrograd, and is now on his way home.

The Naval History Society held its annual meeting in Washington on December 17. Rear-admiral Caspar F. Goodrich was elected president. The society has issued for 1914 the second volume of *Out-Letters of the Marine Committee*, ed. C. O. Paullin, and will soon have ready its books of Gustavus Conyngham and of Admiral Graves, the latter to be reinforced from the recently discovered papers of de Grasse. A book of naval songs and ballads is also in contemplation.

Teachers in secondary schools will find Dr. John Wayland's *How to Teach American History* (Macmillan), a storehouse of practical suggestions, useful bibliographies, and stimulating criticisms. With the concrete guides and lesson-plans of the usual manual for normal schools, the author has combined suggestive chapters on the philosophy which must underlie the teacher's work.

The *Magazine of History* for April, and the double issue for May-June, contain further installments of the late Colonel Legrand B. Cannon's "Personal Reminiscences of the Rebellion", and an interesting sketch in five parts by Professor Arthur K. Davis, entitled "Three Centuries of an Old Virginia Town (Petersburg)". We note especially, in the May-June number, an article by Charles W. Holmes comparing the British and American Cabinets and a somewhat important contribution by Edward E. Curtis entitled "The Provisioning of the British Troops in Boston, 1776". Among the documents are letters of Colonel Robert Gould Shaw, 1861, and single letters of Major Benjamin Church, 1696;

Washington, 1776; Martha Washington, 1793; Alexander Hamilton, 1800; Charles Pettit, 1780; Admiral Farragut, 1864; and General A. G. Draper, 1869.

Professor Edward A. Ross's *The Old World in the New: the Significance of Past and Present Immigration to the American People* (New York, Century Company, 1914, pp. 327) presents in collected form the author's articles in the *Century Magazine*, in which the amount and quality of the various elements in immigration to the United States are intelligently presented, with some data respecting the history of the movement.

Thomas Burgess has published a volume on the *Greeks in America* (Boston, Sherman, French, and Company, 1913, pp. xiv, 256) giving an account of their coming, progress, customs, living, and aspirations, with an historical introduction and the stories of some of the famous American Greeks.

*Jewish Immigration to the United States from 1881 to 1910* (Columbia University Studies in History, Economics, and Public Law), by Samuel Joseph, is an examination of the causes of Jewish immigration and the most important social qualities of the immigrants.

The American Jewish Historical Society has signalized the completion of twenty years of publishing activity since its foundation in 1892, by bringing out an analytical index to the first twenty volumes of its publications. This *Index to the Publications* (the society, 1914, pp. viii, 600) is prepared in an admirable manner and furnishes a most complete guide to this valuable series. Appended is an index to the articles in the *Jewish Encyclopedia* relating to the history of the Jews in the United States.

The greater part of the *Records* of the American Catholic Historical Society for June is devoted to a controversy over "The Air of the 'Star Spangled Banner'". In the same number as well as in the September issue, are further chapters of Griffin's "Life of Bishop Conwell, revised and edited by the Rev. Lemuel B. Morton". The latter number also contains an article by Robert J. J. Haskins on "The First Three Catholic Churches in Zanesville, Ohio", and extracts from the baptismal records of St. Mary's Church, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, 1795-1800.

Volume VII. (June, 1914) of the United States Catholic Historical Society's *Historical Records and Studies* includes the Sulpicians in the United States, by Dr. Charles G. Herbermann, Le Moyne D'Iberville, by Rev. Thomas J. Campbell, Pierre D'Ailly and the Discovery of America, by Canon Louis Salembier of the Catholic University of Lille, and Fra Junipero Serra and the California Missions, by Ann Judge.

*An Economic Analysis of the Constitutional Restrictions upon Public Indebtedness in the United States* (*Bulletin of the University of Wisconsin*, no. 637), by Dr. Horace Secrist, treats certain aspects of the sub-

ject historically. There is, for instance, a chapter upon the general environment which produced the constitutional restrictions upon state indebtedness, another upon the immediate causes, and a third upon the origin, of the constitutional restrictions upon municipal indebtedness.

#### ITEMS ARRANGED IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER

The American-Scandinavian Foundation has just issued, in a projected series of Scandinavian monographs, volume I. of *The Voyages of the Norsemen to America*, by William Hovgaard, late commander in the royal Danish navy, now professor in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. While the whole problem of the voyages is investigated, their nautical aspects receive the most extensive treatment. Those parts of the Icelandic sagas that pertain to Vinland are given in translation.

S. de Ispizua has undertaken to assemble the available information on an obscure phase of the period of discovery in *Historia de los Vascos en el Descubrimiento, Conquista, y Civilización de América* (vol. I., Bilbao, Lerchundi Ledesma, 1914, pp. ix, 274).

The Hispanic Society of America has brought out *Willem Janszoon Blaeu, 1571-1638: a Sketch of his Life and Work, with special Reference to his large World Map of 1605*, by Professor E. L. Stevenson.

Mr. Artemas Ward of New York City has added to the collections in the Artemas Ward Homestead at Shrewsbury, Massachusetts, a full-size photoprint facsimile of the orderly-book of General Artemas Ward. The orderly-book extends from April 20, 1775, to March 20, 1777, and is followed by General Ward's letter-book, extending from April 7, 1776, to April 3, 1777.

The Yale University Press has recently published a revised edition of the *Life of Nathan Hale* by Professor Henry P. Johnston of the College of the City of New York. The first edition was published in 1901.

For this academic year, the Albert Shaw Lectures in American Diplomatic History at the Johns Hopkins University were given in November by Professor Clarence W. Alvord, the subject being the Partition of the West in 1783.

Professor Archer B. Hulbert has brought out through the Arthur H. Clark Company *Washington and the West: being George Washington's Diary of September, 1784; and a Commentary upon the same*.

The fourth volume of the *Writings of John Quincy Adams*, edited by Worthington C. Ford, has come from the press (Macmillan). The volume covers the years 1811-1813, when Mr. Adams was at St. Petersburg.

The Burton Historical Collection of the Detroit Public Library has come into possession of the orderly-books of Colonel Isaac Shelby, covering the period of the Detroit campaign in the War of 1812 under General Harrison.

The Neale Publishing Company has brought out *The Political and Economic Doctrines of John Marshall . . . and also his Letters, Speeches, and hitherto unpublished and uncollected Writings*, edited by J. E. Oster.

Mr. D. W. Howe, president of the Indiana Historical Society, has brought out through Messrs. Putnam a volume entitled *Political History of Secession to the Beginning of the American Civil War*.

The letter-press copy book of the correspondence of General W. T. Sherman during the two years prior to the Civil War, when he was in charge of the State Military Seminary of Louisiana, has been presented to the State Historical Society of Wisconsin by W. B. Carter of Lancaster.

Lieut.-Col. John Page Nicholson of Philadelphia has prepared and published in a volume of 1022 pages a catalogue of his collection of materials relating to the Civil War. The collection includes manuscripts and excerpts as well as books.

*The True Ulysses S. Grant*, by General Charles King, is the latest addition to Messrs. Lippincott's "True" series.

Dr. Annie Heloise Abel, professor of history in Goucher College, has completed her work on *The American Indian as Slaveholder and Secessionist: an Omitted Chapter in the Diplomatic History of the Southern Confederacy*. The book will be published soon. Miss Abel has edited for the United States Indian Office the official correspondence of James S. Calhoun, first territorial governor of New Mexico.

*John Hay: Author and Statesman*, by Professor Lorenzo Sears, has been published by Dodd, Mead, and Company.

Hon. Samuel W. McCall has written a *Life of Thomas B. Reed*, just published by the Houghton Mifflin Company.

#### LOCAL ITEMS, ARRANGED IN GEOGRAPHICAL ORDER

Little, Brown, and Company have brought out *Social Life in Old New England*, by Mary Caroline Crawford.

The Maine Historical Society has brought out four additional volumes of the *Documentary History of Maine* (XVII. to XX.), continuing the collection called the Baxter manuscripts, edited by James Phinney Baxter.

Dr. Henry S. Burrage, who was in England at the outbreak of the present European war, gathered for the Maine Historical Society an interesting collection of the posters used in connection with enlistments, etc., including the proclamations calling for troops and the war posters used by the city of Oxford.

The *Proceedings* of the American Antiquarian Society at its semi-annual meeting of April, 1914 (pp. 215), is occupied to the extent of nearly five-sixths by a body of quite general Notes on the Calendar and the Almanac, by Mr. George E. Littlefield; and by a check-list of Con-

necticut Almanacs, 1709-1850, prepared by Mr. Albert C. Bates, secretary of the Connecticut Historical Society, with a suitable introduction and notes. The remaining pages contain an account of the early migrations of the Indians in New England and the Maritime Provinces, by Mr. R. B. Dixon, and a well-informed and clearly presented defense of Poinsett's career in Mexico, by Dr. Justin H. Smith.

The October serial of the *Proceedings* of the Massachusetts Historical Society contains some papers, 1636-1644, of William Pynchon of Springfield, and a paper by Mr. Jonathan Smith on Toryism in Worcester County.

In the *Essex Institute Historical Collections* for October, the publication of Benjamin F. Browne's "Youthful Recollections of Salem", written in 1867, is continued, as are also the extracts from the probate records of Essex County, Massachusetts.

*Rhode Island Imprints, 1727-1800*, a collection of 1560 entries of books, pamphlets, newspapers, etc., printed in the colony and state during the eighteenth century, together with a number of facsimiles, is printed by the Rhode Island Historical Society for its members. The compiler is Mr. George Parker Winship, who also writes an introduction.

The report of the librarian of the Rhode Island Historical Society, in the society's *Proceedings* for 1913-1914, notes among the accessions of the year a series of the *Newport Mercury* for 1774 and 1775 and a number of other early newspapers, the excessively rare *Calendrier Français*, printed at Newport in 1781 on the press of the French fleet, temporarily set up on shore, an extra-illustrated edition of Mason's *Newport*, comprising over 500 valuable documents, the gift of Mr. Oliver Hazard Perry, and the commissions and correspondence of Commodore Silas Talbot, consisting of about fifty manuscripts, including besides Talbot's official correspondence numerous letters from prominent persons to him. The manuscripts preserved in the society's vault have been catalogued, and the librarian has begun a check-list of eighteenth-century Rhode Island newspapers.

The *Annual Report* of the Connecticut Historical Society (May, 1914) includes a rough list of the Johnson family papers recently donated to the society. The more important of these are the papers of William Samuel Johnson, including nearly 500 letters written by him, about 200 letters written to him, and a series of letter-books extending from 1746 to 1774. There are numerous family papers of a miscellaneous sort. The society has received as a gift from Mr. James H. Goodwin 670 numbers of the *Connecticut Journal*, scattered through the period 1777-1821. It has also come into possession of the autograph collection of the late Edgar T. Welles, son of Gideon Welles, secretary of the navy in Lincoln's cabinet. The collection comprises about 2400 letters, principally of the period 1810-1860, many of them from men prominent in public and political life.



*The Colonial History of Hartford*, by Rev. W. De L. Love, is drawn from original records (Hartford, the author).

The fourteenth annual meeting of the New York State Historical Association, held at Saratoga Springs, Bennington, and Schuylerville September 17 to 20, 1912, was devoted to the several phases of the Burgoyne campaign. The numerous papers and addresses, as also some account of the sessions and other exercises, are brought out in volume XII. of the society's *Proceedings*. The principal of these papers are: Relation of the Battle of Bennington to the Battle of Saratoga, by Rev. Isaac Jennings; the Place of Saratoga in the Revolutionary War, by General A. S. Draper; General Schuyler's Part in the Burgoyne Campaign, by F. W. Halsey; General Daniel Morgan's Part in the Burgoyne Campaign, by Rev. J. H. Brandow; St. Leger's Invasion and the Battle of Oriskany, by F. H. Allen; and the Influence of the Death of Jane McCrea on the Burgoyne Campaign, by J. A. Holden. There is also a scholarly paper on Burgoyne by Rev. Henry Belcher, author of the *First Civil War in America*.

The sixteenth annual meeting of the same association was held in Utica, October 5 to 8. Among the addresses delivered the following may be mentioned: Notes on the Early History of the Palatines in the Valley, by Rev. W. W. Ellsworth; the Battle of Oriskany, by H. J. Cookinham; Early Institutions of Learning in the Mohawk Valley, by President Charles A. Richmond of Union College; the History of Transportation in the Mohawk Valley, by Lieutenant William G. Mayer; Samuel Kirkland and the Oneida Indians, by Rev. M. W. Stryker; and French Immigrants of the Black River Country, by W. A. Moore.

The *New York Genealogical and Biographical Record* for July contains an account, by John Cox, jr., of the Quaker records in New York, together with a list of meetings and a map of 1821 showing the "Meetings constituting New York Yearly Meeting of Friends".

The *Acts and Proceedings* of the Pennsylvania Federation of Historical Societies, ninth annual meeting, Harrisburg, January 15, 1914 (pp. 111), has been issued. Especially deserving attention are the report of the committee on the preservation of manuscript records and that of the committee on state legislation.

Among the recent acquisitions of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania are the following: a collection of Penn material, comprising William Penn's journals in Ireland, Holland, and Germany, documents relating to Pennsylvania affairs, and a number of letters of William Penn and others of the Penn family; the diary of Thomas F. Pleasants, 1814-1817, covering life at Camp DuPont; an addition to the Cox-Parrish-Wharton papers, including 152 manuscripts and nine maps, presented by Mrs. Rodman Wharton; an addition of 24 manuscripts to the Lincoln collection, from the estates of Louis C. Vanuxem and William Potter; fifty-nine maps and other materials, presented by Miss Letitia A. Humphreys

as an addition to the Humphreys collection; an addition of 217 letters and documents to the Dreer collection; and 119 miscellaneous newspapers published at Poughkeepsie, 1796-1825.

In the *Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography* for October Dr. John W. Jordan prints the Journal of John Watson, assistant surveyor to the commissioners of the province of Pennsylvania, 1750. Among the articles in the same issue is "The Pennsylvania and Virginia Boundary Controversy" by John L. Potter.

*The Pennsylvania-German in the Settlement of Maryland*, by D. W. Nead, illustrated by Julius F. Sachse, is part XXV. of the series of monographs prepared by authority of the Pennsylvania-German Society, having for the general title *Pennsylvania: the German Influence in its Settlement and Development*.

A new issue of the Rev. Jehu C. Clay's *Annals of the Swedes on the Delaware* (1835, 1858), has been brought out in handy form, but without substantial revision in the light of Dr. Amandus Johnson's researches, by the Swedish Historical Society of America (Chicago, the society, 1914, pp. 170).

The Maryland Historical Society has issued, for the state of Maryland, vol. XXXIV. of the *Maryland Archives*, embracing the proceedings and acts of the General Assembly from October, 1720, to October, 1723, five sessions.

Under the caption of "Some Old English Letters", the *Maryland Historical Magazine* for June prints a group of personal letters of 1724-1746, written by Mrs. Helen Wolseley Sprat, widow of the Bishop of Rochester, Mrs. Elizabeth Arnold Duncombe, Margaret Calvert, Bryan Fairfax, and Mrs. Alicia Arnold Ross. The letters are elaborately annotated by McHenry Howard. There are also printed a few documents on the Bank Riot of 1835, and further installments of the Vestry Proceedings of St. Ann's Parish, Annapolis; and of Land Notes, 1634-1655.

The *Colonial Trade of Maryland, 1689-1715*, by Miss Margaret Morriss, is a recent number of the *Johns Hopkins University Studies in Historical and Political Science*.

The *Virginia Magazine of History and Biography* for October contains the conclusion of the "Randolph Manuscript", continuations of the Council Papers (March-May, 1702), and of the Sainsbury Abstracts and De Jarnette Papers (October, 1677); and a group of eight letters from Richard Adams to Thomas Adams, 1771-1778.

The *Bulletin* of the Virginia State Library, vol. VII., nos. 2 and 3, consists of a list of maps relating to Virginia in the Virginia State Library and other departments of the commonwealth, together with the Virginia maps contained in seventeenth-century and eighteenth-century atlases possessed by the Library of Congress. Compiled by Mr. Earl G. Swem, and furnished with learned annotations, the pamphlet (pp. 37-263) forms a valuable work of historical reference.

The principal contribution in the *William and Mary College Quarterly* for October, is a study of "Morgan and his Riflemen", by Lieut. W. W. Edwards. Among the documents, apart from continuations, should be noted a "List of taxable articles . . . in Williamsburg . . . 1783".

The state of North Carolina has now brought out the fourth and concluding volume of Dr. Stephen B. Weeks's *Index to the Colonial and State Records of North Carolina*. Besides indexing with care the 26 volumes of the series, Dr. Weeks presents in his final volume an elaborate and authoritative "Historical Review of the Colonial and State Records of North Carolina", dealing with the history of this extensive publication and the character of its contents, and also furnishing a most useful description of the manuscript sources for the history of North Carolina in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, in archives and libraries, domestic and foreign.

The *South Carolina Historical and Genealogical Magazine* for July prints six letters of Peter Manigault written from London in 1750 and 1752, and the first installment of the parish register of St. James, Santee, 1758-1788.

The Tennessee Historical Society expects to issue this winter the first number of a *Tennessee Historical Magazine*, edited by Professor St. George L. Sioussat of Vanderbilt University.

The Ohio Valley Historical Association held its eighth annual meeting in Charleston, West Virginia, November 27 and 28. Some of the noteworthy papers presented at the meeting were the following: John Floyd and Oregon, by Professor C. H. Ambler; the Tories at Fort Pitt and what became of them, by Professor W. H. Siebert; General Wilkinson's First Break with the Spaniards, by Professor I. J. Cox; Early Land Grants in Southeastern Ohio, by Professor H. W. Elson; West Virginians *v.* West Virginia, 1861-1863, by Professor J. C. McGregor; and a series of papers on the development of transportation in Ohio.

The second number of the *Mississippi Valley Historical Review*, being the issue for September, marks in our judgment a distinct advance upon the first. Professor M. M. Quaife's paper called "Critical Evaluation of the Sources of Western History" examines once more the question of Jonathan Carver, but consists mainly in a dissection of George W. Ogden's *Letters from the West* (New Bedford, 1823), which is conclusively shown to be valueless. Of more importance are the articles of Professor W. H. Siebert on the Dispersion of the American Tories, that of Professor W. O. Scruggs on William Walker's Designs on Cuba, and that of Professor I. J. Cox on the Pan-American Policy of Jefferson and Wilkinson. Mr. D. E. Clark of the State Historical Society of Iowa surveys the historical activities of the last two years in the trans-Mississippi Northwest and in Western Canada. There are notes on Dr. Daniel Coxe's Carolana, on John Peter Salling's journey in the Mississippi Valley about 1738-1742,

on an additional petition of 1780 for a western state; also a diary of a scout who participated in the campaign for the relief of Detroit and Fort Wayne in August and September, 1812. Some forty books, of western history, of other American history, and of political science, are reviewed.

The *Ohio Archaeological and Historical Quarterly* for October is devoted to the proceedings of the twenty-ninth annual meeting of the State Archaeological and Historical Society, and to the dedication in Columbus, on May 30, of the society's museum and library building.

The *Quarterly Publication of the Historical and Philosophical Society of Ohio* for July-September contains the second installment of selections from the Follett Papers. The letters here printed are principally from Thomas Corwin to Oran Follett, and are of the years 1842-1851. Their principal interest lies in their bearing upon the history of the Whig party.

The *Indiana Magazine of History* contains an historical survey by Professor James A. Woodburn of Constitution Making in Indiana. Other articles are Jackson County prior to 1850, by John C. Lazenby, Indiana History in the Public Schools, by Oscar H. Williams, and the concluding part of Home Life in Early Indiana, by William F. Vogel.

The Indiana Centennial Celebration Committee has issued *Suggestive Plans for a Historical and Educational Celebration in Indiana, 1916*. The book is attractively illustrated.

Among the contents of the January and July numbers of the Illinois State Historical Society's *Journal*, we note the following: Marking the Site of Old Fort St. Joseph, by M. M. Quaife; The Great Cahokia Mound, by J. F. Snyder; The Early Courts of Chicago and Cook County, by Orrin N. Carter; New Jersey Families in Illinois, by Edmund J. James; and Soldiers of the American Revolution buried in Illinois, by Mrs. Edwin S. Walker.

The *Transactions* of the Illinois State Historical Society for the year 1912 (*Publications* of the Illinois State Historical Library, no. 17) includes the papers read at the thirteenth annual meeting of the society in May of that year. Noteworthy among these are: the West and the War with Mexico, by W. E. Dodd; the Calumet Portage, by W. H. Lee; Genesis of the Whig Party in Illinois, by C. M. Thompson; Was there a French Fort at Chicago? by M. M. Quaife; Virginia Currency in the Illinois Country, by Mrs. Minnie G. Cook; and Senator Stephen A. Douglas and the Germans in 1854, by F. I. Herriott. Mr. W. D. Barge contributes a useful list of the old towns in Illinois, with their corresponding new names. *Publication* no. 18 of the library is *A List of the Genealogical Works in the Illinois State Historical Library*, compiled by Georgia L. Osborne.

*The Development of Banking in Illinois, 1817-1863* (*University of Illinois Studies in the Social Sciences*, vol. II., no. 4), by Dr. George

William Dowrie, is a valuable contribution to the financial history of the United States. An interesting feature of the study is concerned with the relation between banking and internal improvements in Illinois.

The State Historical Society of Wisconsin has recently acquired, from the governor's office, all the papers therein preserved pertaining to the Civil War, numbering some 15,000 in all; a collection, numbering probably more than 40,000, of personal papers of the late Judge E. W. Keyes of Madison, covering the period from 1851 to 1910; and a small but interesting collection of correspondence between Edwin Bottomley, an early settler, and his father in England. The annual address before the society, October 22, was delivered by Mr. Worthington C. Ford, of the Massachusetts Historical Society, on the subject of The Treaty of Ghent—and After. Besides the annual volume of *Proceedings* the society expects to issue soon the first volume of its *Calendar of the Draper Manuscripts*.

At a meeting of the executive council of the Minnesota Historical Society on November 10 Dr. Warren Upham, formerly secretary and librarian of the society, was elected archaeologist, and Dr. Solon J. Buck was elected superintendent and secretary. The society has recently acquired by gift from the library of Hon. Ignatius Donnelly a collection of letters, scrapbooks, pamphlets, etc., comprising about 30,000 items and relating principally to the history of Minnesota.

The State Historical Society of Iowa has published a *History of Township Government in Iowa*, by Dr. C. R. Aurner, which will later be followed by a *History of County Government in Iowa*, by Dr. F. H. Garver; also by a history of *Third Party Movements in Iowa*, by Professor F. E. Haynes. The society has also brought out volumes I. and II. of Mr. Aurner's *History of Education in Iowa*, which is to run to six volumes. Of the *Iowa Applied History* series, vol. II. is in press, reprints of the separate papers having already been issued, such as *Reorganization of State Government in Iowa*, by F. E. Horack, *Home Rule in Iowa*, by O. K. Patton, and *Direct Legislation in Iowa*, by Jacob Van der Zee. Of the *Iowa Social History* series, the latest project of the society, two volumes will be ready for distribution in the near future. They are: a *History of Social Legislation in Iowa*, by John E. Briggs, and a *History of Poor Relief Legislation in Iowa*, by John L. Gillin.

The October *Annals of Iowa* contains biographical sketches of Judge George G. Wright, John I. Blair, and Charles Abiathar White. There are also printed a war-time diary (May 15–July, 1864) of Dr. W. I. Nicholson, surgeon in the 29th Iowa Infantry, and a bibliographical contribution by Alice Marple, "Iowa Authors and their Work".

The principal contribution in the *Iowa Journal of History and Politics* for October is a careful study by Jacob Van der Zee of "Fur Trade Operations in the Eastern Iowa Country from 1800 to 1833". There is

also a suggestive article by Louis Pelzer on "The Public Domain as a Field for Historical Study".

A *History of Butler County, Iowa*, in two volumes, by I. H. Hart, and a *History of Franklin County, Iowa*, likewise in two volumes, edited by I. L. Stuart, are recent outputs of the S. J. Clarke Publishing Company.

The *Missouri Historical Review* for July presents Major Alphonso Wetmore's Diary of a Journey to Santa Fé, in 1828, edited by F. F. Stephens. The October number contains a study entitled "A Sketch of Missouri Constitutional History during the Territorial Period", by Floyd C. Shoemaker; and the translation of an account by Edward Zimmerman, a German immigrant, of a foot-tour in Missouri in 1838.

*The Loan Office Experiment in Missouri, 1821-1836*, by A. J. McCulloch, is issued as vol. XV., no. 24, of the *University of Missouri Bulletin*.

The *Fourth Biennial Report* of the board of curators of the Louisiana State Museum includes lists of the accessions to the department of history. Noteworthy are the Vidal papers and correspondence, 1787-1808, and papers of William Kenner and Company. The most important accession was the manuscripts, documents, etc., some ten thousand in number, dating from 1728 to 1803, deposited by the Louisiana Historical Society.

Aside from continuations, the *Southwestern Historical Quarterly* for October contains an article on Harris County, Texas, 1822-1845, by Adele B. Looscan, and a letter from A. M. Manigault, written at Vera Cruz in 1847. The continuations consist of R. G. Cleland's Early Sentiment for the Annexation of California, Miss Sandbo's First Session of the Secession Convention in Texas, and British Correspondence concerning Texas, contributed by Professor E. D. Adams.

Mr. E. W. Winkler of the Texas State Library has brought out the *Diary of Ephraim Shelby Dodd*, December 4, 1862, to January 1, 1864 (Austin, E. L. Steck, pp. 32). Dodd was a member of Company D, Terry's Texas Rangers, and was hanged at Knoxville, Tennessee, as a spy, on the evidence of this diary.

*T. Turnbull's Travels from the United States across the Plains to California*, edited with introduction and notes by Professor Frederic L. Paxson, is issued as *Separate no. 158* from the *Proceedings* of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin for 1913 (pp. 151-225). Turnbull's journey west of the Missouri was by the Mormon Trail instead of the Oregon Trail, which was usually followed in 1852 by gold-seekers, and his journal is one of the few records of travel by that route.

The *Washington Historical Quarterly* for October prints an article by Professor F. J. Turner on "The West and American Ideals", and continues the publication of the Journal of John Work and of "A New Vancouver Journal", as well as of a syllabus of Northwestern history.

In its *Quarterly* for March, the Oregon Historical Society prints the annual address delivered before it by Judge William C. Brown: Old Fort Okanogan and the Okanogan Trail. The Journal of David Thompson, July 3-15, 1811, copied from the Ontario Archives, is printed with introduction and notes by T. C. Elliott.

*California: an Intimate History*, by Mrs. Gertrude Atherton, has been issued by Harper and Brothers.

*Junipero Serra: the Man and his Work*, by A. H. Fitch, is a popular account of the life of the Franciscan monk and pioneer (McClurg).

*San Diego and Imperial Counties, California: a Record of Settlement, Organization, Progress, and Achievement* (two volumes), edited by S. T. Black, is from the press of S. J. Clarke.

A revised edition of Professor Dean C. Worcester's *The Philippines Past and Present* contains a new chapter of nearly fifty pages reviewing "One Year of the New Era".

Dr. George Bryce has rewritten his *Short History of the Canadian People*, bringing the work up to date (Scribner).

Volume III. of Lescarbot's *History of New France*, edited by Professor W. L. Grant, has been issued by the Champlain Society.

Judge A. W. Savary has brought out a volume of 142 pages supplementary to Calnek's *History of the County of Annapolis, including Old Port Royal and Acadia*, edited and extended by him some years ago. The supplement corrects and enlarges the more important features of the older work and includes an account of the Scottish attempt at colonization under Sir William Alexander (1623-1632), and also of that under D'Aulnay de Charnisay, the first governor (1636-1651), besides much material concerning the Loyalist settlers.

*The Fall of Canada: a Chapter in the History of the Seven Years' War*, by Professor George M. Wrong of the University of Toronto, deals in detail with the events of a single year of the war, from Wolfe's victory before Quebec, in September, 1759, to the surrender of Canada in September, 1760 (Oxford, Clarendon Press).

We have received at the same time two pamphlets respecting the Rush-Bagot agreement and the history of action under it. The one, appearing in the pamphlet series of the World Peace Foundation, is *The Anglo-American Agreement of 1817 for Disarmament on the Great Lakes* (Boston, pp. 28) by Dr. Charles H. Levermore; the other, a publication of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, entitled *Limitation of Armament on the Great Lakes* (Washington, pp. 57), is a reprint of a report made to President Harrison in 1892 by John W. Foster, secretary of state, and originally printed as 52 Cong., 2 sess., *Sen. Ex. Doc. No. 9*.

The September issue of the *Revue Canadienne*, of Montreal, contains seven articles relating to Sir Georges-Étienne Cartier, the ministerial colleague of Sir John A. Macdonald, in commemoration of the centenary of his birth on September 6.

A brief sketch of *The Grange in Canada*, by H. Michel, is *Bulletin* no. 13 of the departments of history and political and economic science in Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada.

It is announced that Morang and Company of Toronto will issue a *Life of Lord Strathcona*, by Dr. John Macnaughton, of McGill University.

No. 9 of the *Canadian Archive Publications* is *The Canadian Northwest, its Early Development and Legislative Records*, vol. I., text by Professor E. H. Oliver, documents from the Minutes of the Red River Colony and the Northern Department of Rupert's Land, and six folded maps.

*British Columbia from the Earliest Times to the Present*, in four volumes, by E. O. S. Scholefield and F. W. Howay, comes from the press of S. J. Clarke.

Messrs. Putnam have issued *Mexican Archaeology: an Introduction to the Archaeology of the Mexican and Mayan Civilizations of Pre-Spanish America*, by T. A. Joyce.

M. Cuevas, of the Society of Jesus, has collected and annotated a volume of *Documentos Inéditos del Siglo XVI. para la Historia de México* (Mexico, Museo Nacional, 1914, pp. xxxi, 521). The first three books are included in the first volume of F. Cervantes de Salazar, *Crónica de Nueva España* (Madrid, Hausser and Menet, 1914, pp. lvi, 363), published in *Papeles de Nueva España*, compiled and published by Francisco del Paso y Troncoso.

Despite the lessening interest in the Mexican problem, due to European war, the output of books on Mexico has not altogether ceased. *A Popular History of Mexico*, by Hubert Howe Bancroft, is a book of 1887 by this veteran historian, brought down to date by the addition of a score of pages recounting the story of the present revolution (New York, The Bancroft Company, pp. 581).

*Insurgent Mexico* (Appleton), by John Reed, is a series of pen pictures of personal experiences and events among the revolutionists of Mexico, written by a newspaper correspondent. Phases of life both in the little armies and among the peons are set forth graphically and often humorously, and one gets some notion of the conglomerate of ideas and feelings underlying the revolution—and of Villa. At times, however, this rapid succession of moving pictures might be clearer to the understanding if more of explanatory legend were thrown upon the screen.

The Cuban *Boletín del Archivo Nacional* prints in the July–August number a group of letters from the correspondence of the intendant-



general of hacienda of Cuba with the Spanish government, July to October, 1747.

Smith and Elder have published in London, in two volumes, *The Spanish Dependencies in South America, an Introduction to the History of their Civilization*, by Professor Bernard Moses, formerly of the University of California.

Under the title *The Evolution of Brazil compared with that of Spanish and Anglo-Saxon America*, the Leland Stanford Junior University has brought out (*Publications, University Series*) a group of six lectures delivered at the university in the autumn of 1912 by Dr. Manoel de Oliveira Lima, sometime attaché of the Brazilian embassy in Washington, and author of numerous writings on Brazilian history. Professor P. A. Martin of the university furnishes an appreciative introduction and numerous explanatory notes.

The Uruguayan war for independence is the main subject of *Artigas y la Revolución Americana* (Paris, Ollendorff, 1914, pp. vii, 404) by H. D. Barbagelata.

Noteworthy articles in periodicals: J. R. Swanton and R. B. Dixon, *Primitive American History* (*American Anthropologist*, July–September); Mrs. L. K. Mathews, *Benjamin Franklin's Plans for a Colonial Union, 1750–1775* (*American Political Science Review*, August); F. A. Woods, *The Racial Origin of Successful Americans* (*Popular Science Monthly*, April); M. Serrano y Sanz, *El Brigadier Jaime Wilkinson y sus Tratos con España para la Independencia del Kentucky, Años 1787 à 1797*, II., III. (*Revista de Archivos, Bibliotecas, y Museos*, May, July); G. Latorre, *La Separación del Virreinato de Nueva España de la Metrópoli*, I. (*ibid.*, July); Roscoe Pound, *The Place of Judge Story in the Making of American Law* (*American Law Review*, September–October); H. C. Washburn, *The Battle of Lake Champlain* (*U. S. Naval Institute Proceedings*, September–October); L. N. Feipel, *The Wilkes Exploring Expedition* (*ibid.*); B. B. Kendrick, *Toombs and Stephens* (*Political Science Quarterly*, September); W. R. Thayer, *Lincoln and some Union Generals, from Unpublished Diaries of John Hay* (*Harper's Monthly*, December); A. R. H. Ransom, *Reminiscences of the Civil War* (*Sewanee Review*, November); Lieutenant W. J. Büttgenbach, *Coast Defense in the Civil War: Fort Sumter* (*Journal of the United States Artillery Association*, September–October); C. R. Fish, *Carl Schurz* (*Political Science Quarterly*, September); G. A. Wood, *The Black Code of Alabama* (*South Atlantic Quarterly*, October); R. de Manjarrés, *Proyectos Españoles de Canal Interoceánico* (*Revista de Archivos, Bibliotecas, y Museos*, January, March); G. Deschamps, *Jacques de Liniers, Libérateur de Buenos Aires* (*Revue Sud-Américaine*, July); A. L. Pereyra and L. de la Robla, *L'État des Provinces du Rio de la Plata en 1824 d'après les Envoyés du Gouvernement d'Espagne* (*ibid.*).